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Cheryl Murdock named chairman of local board

Cheryl Murdock, a trustee from Anson, Hindon and Minden, has been elected chairman of the Haliburton County Board of Education. She replaces Ross Anderson of Tory Hill, who held the position in 1981.

A former public school teacher, Murdock taught for eight years in Peterborough, Peel and Haliburton County schools. She was first elected to the board in 1978. Since then she has served on a number of board committees, including the key salary negotiating committee which she has chaired for the last two years.

She was elected vice chairman of the board last December.

Murdock has a deep rooted interest in education in the county, with one child enrolled at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, a second at Archie Stouffer Public School, and a third not yet of school age.

The new chairman sees the implementation of Bill 82 requirements as the board's biggest challenge in the coming year. The bill requires all school boards to have effective special education programs for gifted as well as learning disabled youngsters by 1985. The local board has established several committees to facilitate the implementation of the Bill's regulations in the county, and will begin phasing in new special education programs in the 1982-83 school year.

Murdock said in an interview Thursday that she is committed to helping the board provide the best quality education for county students while at the same time keeping costs in line with those in other areas of the province.

Derrell Stamp, trustee for Dysart et al, was elected vice chairman for 1982. Stamp is also a three year veteran of the board, having been first elected in 1978.

The appointments came at a meeting of the board Monday afternoon following an all day budget session.

Committees for 1982 are expected to be set before the end of this week.



There's nothing quite like a ride on a horse drawn wagon to add to the fun of the Christmas season. These youngsters got the ride Saturday afternoon when the

Glamorgan volunteer firemen put on a Christmas party for the children of the community.

COTA says grant inadequate

Ministry has not increased support to travel associations

Grants from the Ministry of Industry and Tourism to the Central Ontario Travel Association for 1982 will remain at the 1975 level, and the move has COTA's executive up in arms.

The association said in a news release this week that the ministry has "steadfastly refused to increase grants to COTA and to the 11 other associations (in Ontario) for either administrative or promotional purposes, claiming that more financial support should be coming from private and municipal sectors."

Bill Smith of Harcourt, COTA's president, said the ministry's decision is "pretty hard to take."

Smith said in the release that the ministry has had "regular increases in its budget since 1975, yet has refused to transfer any of the increases to the travel associations."

"How can this association possibly develop more sophisticated marketing programs with 1975 dollars and 1981 prices?" Smith noted.

He said the association intends to enter into more cooperative promotion programs with the private sector next year, but added that most travel operators are also feeling the effects of higher prices and higher interest rates.

Smith said the ministry's

Yours to Discover campaign is working, but that travel associations "base their programs on the grants roots of the industry. This is where it all starts and where the most help is needed" according to Smith.

"It just doesn't make sense to continuously promote the province as a whole at the expense of facilities and attractions at the local level," Smith said. "They are the ones who generate the revenues and pay the taxes."

All associations receive \$35,000 for administration, \$50,000 for promotion and a grant to cover salaries for summer student travel coun-

sellers. In 1975, COTA's total budget was \$120,000. Co-operative programs with the private sectors and municipalities increased the budget by \$50,000 in 1981 to \$170,000, according to the release.

The 12 travel associations are expected to voice their concerns at a meeting in Toronto later this month when a new funding formula and new initiatives for the Ontario Travel Association Program will be announced.

COTA president Bill Smith and executive director Aldo Campagnolo are expected to attend the meeting.

Dysart seeks aid

Assessment appeals cut revenue, council asks for an explanation

Dysart et al may get financial assistance from the province to offset revenue lost because of assessment review court decisions. Regional assessment commissioner Ivor James told council Monday that he is preparing a report on Dysart's situation, and that he expects some form of aid will be forthcoming once the facts have been presented at Queen's Park.

James attended the meeting to answer council's questions about the consequences of opting for equalized assessment under Section 86 of The Assessment Act. The system, adopted by most municipalities throughout the province, does not change overall assessment, but adjusts assessments within property classes to eliminate inequities.

In presentations prior to the change, council was told that assessment appeals could reduce anticipated revenue in 1981 by one or one and a half per cent. In practice however, appeals upheld by the assessment review court have reduced the municipalities' revenues by almost four per cent. The biggest single factor in Dysart's current plight has been the court's decision to uphold an appeal from Haliburton Forest and Wildlife Reserve. The court ordered the municipality to refund \$34,347.46 to the company, which owns several thousand acres of recreational land in Havelock Township.

As a result of the company's appeal, and appeals from a number of other individuals, the municipality will be short approximately \$40,000 on projected 1981 revenue, reeve Murray Fearrey told James.

"That may not sound like a lot to you people," Fearrey said, "but it's a lot to a small municipality."

If other large landowners decided to press appeals, and if the assessment review court upheld them, the municipality could lose a further \$50,000 in tax revenue, the reeve estimated.

"I think that's quite a substantial blow to be dealt in one year," Fearrey said. He noted that if the pattern was going to be repeated in future years, "it's high time the ministry (of revenue) gave us some assistance."

James defended the estimates of a one to 1.5 per cent loss in revenue that had been given to council when equalized assessment under Section 86 was first considered.

"That still holds in just about every other municipality," he said. But, he added, "nobody dreamed of acreage the size of Haliburton Forest and Wildlife, and what

the review court would do." The assessment branch has appealed the review court decision with the Ontario Municipal Board, James said.

"We'll do our best to bring it back in whole, or as much as we can get," he said.

Council's main concern is that a similar situation could arise next year, making it difficult for the municipality to set a mill rate that will give it the revenue it needs to carry out its annual budget.

James noted that council will have to take the decisions of the assessment review court into consideration when it sets a budget and mill rates for 1982.

But council was not satisfied, and continued to press for an explanation of why such a large discrepancy had

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Rail appeal rejected

'No new evidence' CTC tells Lindsay

An appeal from the Town of Lindsay for a new hearing into the closure of the Lindsay/Haliburton rail line has been rejected by the Canada Transport Commission because there is "no new evidence" to suggest the line should be kept open.

The appeal was launched in a last ditch effort to stop the line from being torn up.

Dysart et al reeve Murray Fearrey, who told his council of the latest CTC decision at a meeting Monday, said he could not disagree with the CTC's statement that there is no evidence for keeping the line open other than that which was presented at the original hearing more than a year ago.

He added, however, that the province may still attempt to persuade the CTC that the

line should be left in place rather than torn up and sold for scrap.

If the line is removed, the right-of-way will be offered first to the province, then to the municipalities through which it passes. Council indicated Monday that it will try to acquire title to the portion of the line in Dysart et al.

The Haliburton County Board of Education has already indicated to council that it would like to purchase the portion of the right-of-way adjacent to the playing field at the high school.

While no formal decision on the matter was made at Monday's meeting, council indicated that if it gets title to the entire right-of-way it will probably lease the board the section in question rather than sell it outright.



There were smiles in abundance Saturday afternoon at the Glamorgan Community Centre when Santa paid a brief visit. This youngster was one of dozens who told Santa what they wanted for Christmas.

Fire damages cottage

Local brigade mans pumps, douses flames

Quick action by volunteer firemen from Everett's marina at Kinnis Lake saved a cottage from being destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. The cottage, located on the north side of the lake, was heavily damaged however.

The blaze was discovered by a passing motorist, who noticed that a large part of the roof was bare of snow and drove up the driveway to investigate. Observing that the windows were blackened with smoke, he contacted Dysart firemen and the brigade at Everett's marina.

Portable pumps kept at the marina were brought to the scene and started before the door of the cottage was opened to get at the blaze, a tactic which helped keep the fire in check.

A section of floor in the single storey wood frame cottage had burned through,

but no other significant structural damage was evident.

Firemen poured water on the floor area and wet down the wooden walls to ensure that fire had not spread undetected into the shell of the structure.

No one was in the cottage at the time of the blaze. Renovations to the structure were being carried out by an area contractor, who said at the scene that he had not been at the site for two days at the time of the blaze. The fire appeared to have started in a chesterfield in the centre of the living room. The cottage was owned by Ken Hume.

The blaze was under control by the time Dysart firemen arrived at the scene, 21 road miles from the fire station. They assisted in the mopping up operation.



Dysart et al firemen were called to the scene of a blaze at Kinnis Lake last Thursday that damaged a cottage. Here Buck Baker breaks a window to let smoke out of a room and allow a hose to be trained on the interior of the structure.

Echo will not publish December 30 issue

In order that our employees may enjoy a brief holiday at Christmas, the Haliburton County Echo will not publish between Christmas and New Years. Our office will be closed from Thursday, December 24 through Wednesday, December 30.

The issue of December 23, will, as usual, contain a special Christmas greeting section with messages from businesses and individuals throughout Haliburton County.

Publication will resume Wednesday, January 6, and our normal deadlines for display and classified advertising, (5 p.m. Monday of the week of publication) will apply for that issue.

Briefly ...

Occurrences reported

During the period of December 7-13, personnel at the Minden detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police investigated six motor vehicle accidents which resulted in two minor injuries. There were 56 general occurrences including five damage complaints, four lost and found reports, three break and enters, three thefts and three domestic disputes.

Driver charged

A Hindon Township man was charged with impaired driving after the pickup truck he was driving crashed into guard posts at Ox Narrows Friday night.

Barry William Barnhart was northbound when his vehicle crossed the southbound lane and collided with the posts.

Damage to the truck was estimated at \$1500, and damage to the posts was set at \$150.

Barnhart received a cut mouth in the mishap.

Car leaves road

Damage was estimated at \$6000 when a car left Sam's Road at Eagle Lake Saturday.

Wendy Michelle Fewster, 22, of Agincourt, lost control of her car on the snowcovered road and slid into several trees.

House damaged

A 17 year old Carnarvon youth has been charged with wilful damage and consuming liquor while a minor in the wake of an incident in Haliburton Village early Saturday morning.

At 1:10 a.m. a Haliburton resident told police that windows were being broken and other damage was occurring inside a house on Highland Street in the village.

Police have charged Dan Ray Griffin in connection with the incident.

Drug overdose treated

A 17 year old Oak Ridges youth who was taken to Minden Red Cross Hospital suffering from an apparent drug overdose Saturday night was subsequently charged with breaking into Brown-dale's Tall Pines School in Carnarvon.

Police did not identify the youth.

Police charge youths

Charges were laid against two youths following a series of incidents in the Gooderham area Friday night and Saturday morning.

At 10:42 p.m. Friday, police received a report that a car was tearing erratically around Gooderham. Saturday morning it was reported that Christmas trees at the Gooderham Community Centre and the municipal office had

been torn down and the lights taken out, and that several highway signs on Highway 503 and 507 had been knocked down and run over. Dawsey Douglas Heywood, 19 of Gooderham, was charged with impaired driving, mischief, and wilful damage. Alvis Lawrence Hogan, 16 of Harcourt, was charged with mischief and wilful damage.



This cottage on Kennis Lake was damaged by fire last Thursday afternoon. Quick action by local firefighters saved the structure, although the building did sustain significant structural damage, and smoke and water damage was extensive.

Dysart may get help as revenue cut

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occured between revenue ministry estimates of assessment reductions and the actual decisions of the review court.

"It must be happening for a reason," Fearrey said. He indicated that the assessment branch may not have enough men in the field, or that they did not look at the wildlife preserve property to come up with a reasonable value for it.

James replied that the assessment branch had made a decision to consider all large tracts of recreational land in the same way, whether they were 100 acres or many thousands of acres. But in rendering its decision, the assessment review court took the position that smaller tracts were more valuable than huge ones because the smaller parcels were more readily saleable and had a greater value per acre.

The fact that the courts rejected the approach taken by the assessment branch puts the assessors in "an embarrassing position," James told council.

The assessment commissioner noted that he sympathized with council's concerns, and said he had discussed the matter with officials at Queen's Park. James said he was preparing a special report on the matter and "the chances are quite good" that the revenue mi-

nister "will give it some favourable consideration." James said he could have "some good news for (council) later."

Council was also concerned that grants in lieu of taxes on government owned buildings in the municipality were lower than expected this year.

"We took quite a kicking there," Fearrey said. "Was that because provincial buildings were assessed too high under the old system?"

James replied that the problem arose because improvements to several of the buildings had been "grossly over assessed" and were subsequently reduced.

The Dysart reeve also took the opportunity to question

James on the frequency with which assessments are carried out.

"I just have a feeling that you're a little under staffed in Dysart," Fearrey said, noting that many buildings had apparently not been examined for a number of years.

James replied that every dwelling and building in the municipality is supposed to be inspected inside and out

by an assessor once every four years. At the moment, he said, two assessors are assigned to Dysart, and both of them he said, are good workers who are doing their best.

He noted, however, that "we will, starting next year, try to put a little added pressure to filter in a few bodies to help us."

Hidden entrance sign sought

Hidden entrance signs may be installed near the intersection of the Old Allsaw Road and Highway 121 if the Ministry of Transportation and Communications agrees with a request from Anson,

Hindon and Minden council.

After receiving a request from the Old Allsaw Road Cottagers Association council sent a motion to the MTC requesting the installation.

Santa's coming!

Santa Claus is coming to town this Saturday, December 19. At the request of the Rotary Club of Haliburton, Santa has agreed to take a couple of hours off from his busy schedule at the North Pole in order to hear the last minute Christmas wishes of local children.

Santa will arrive at the Legion Hall at 1 p.m., and will greet youngsters as they move through the lobby and into the main hall. Every child who attends will also receive a present to help ease the anticipation of Christmas eve.

At 2 p.m. there will be more entertainment for the children, as well as a movie to top off the day's activities.

Make a point to bring your youngsters to the Legion, Saturday. Santa will be waiting.

Causeway blocked

Anson, Hindon and Minden council is attempting to avoid a major confrontation between cottagers and a developer by suggesting the two parties agree to a proposal before bringing it to council. Speaking to representatives of the Bob Lake Cottagers at its regular meeting last Wednesday, council suggested the cottagers should meet with Louis Alvarez to discuss his plans to build a causeway or bridge to an island in the lake.

Alvarez had asked council to agree in principle with the causeway but the municipality already had a letter on file from 21 cottagers asking that they be notified of any projects to connect the island to the mainland. Council notified the cottagers the matter would be discussed at its meeting December 9.

Bruce McRae, representing the cottagers, asked council if the project was already approved. After being assured it was not, McRae said area cottagers were concerned about the affect a causeway would have on the lake's ecosystem and did not want part of the lake blocked off.

"We have 250 people who

would be damn unhappy about it," McRae said.

Suggesting cottagers could run their own candidates in the next election, and bring bus loads of supporters to the polls, McRae said the group felt "very strongly" against Alvarez connecting the island to the mainland.

Since council had no definite plans from Alvarez, it suggested the cottagers should meet with him and find a solution to the problem before coming to council again.

Minden council okays seaplane base idea

The possibility of establishing an aircraft base on Mountain Lake appeals to Anson, Hindon and Minden council but it will not sell the entrepreneur a township lot on which to establish the business.

Council received a request to consider a commercial aircraft facility on Mountain Lake and to sell a lot on Jordan Drive.

Council agreed with the aircraft base idea but felt the lot was too valuable as a possible parksite to sell it.

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FEATURE

Small claims court busy in tough times

When accounts are overdue, merchants, tradesmen call on the court for help

by Sue Cooper
Staff Reporter

Money is tight these days. It's a fact that's making small businessmen clamp down on delinquent debtors to keep payments coming in on overdue accounts. Credits just can't be allowed to run overboard when money is tough to get and inventories increase in cost with every shipment.

Many businesses, and private individuals are turning to the local small claims court in an effort to deal with otherwise uncollectable delinquent accounts or disputes which have arisen concerning the products or the services purchased.

In Haliburton County, court is held between five and six times a year with special consideration being given to the general economic times. For instance, there are no courts held in February or March as many of the area workers are unemployed and if they agreed they were delinquent in their accounts, they would be forced to make promises of payment they cannot realistically keep. Since no judges are available to sit in the summer months, a court is held in June and again in September. January and November host the other court days.

Small claims court is designed with the lay-person in mind; it stresses informality. Whether it's a businessman suing for a bad debt or a vehicle owner refusing to pay a bill because of poor workmanship, neither party requires a lawyer. If difficulties arise in presenting the case, the judge, county court judge or his appointee, will assist by asking pertinent questions which will reveal the sequence of events. Cases are not won in small claims court mainly on legal techniques; the court is designed to allow the man off the street to have his "day in court". If, one of the parties wished to retain a lawyer and won the case, the loser would not be required to pay the legal fees. Only a small portion of the legal fees could be attributed.

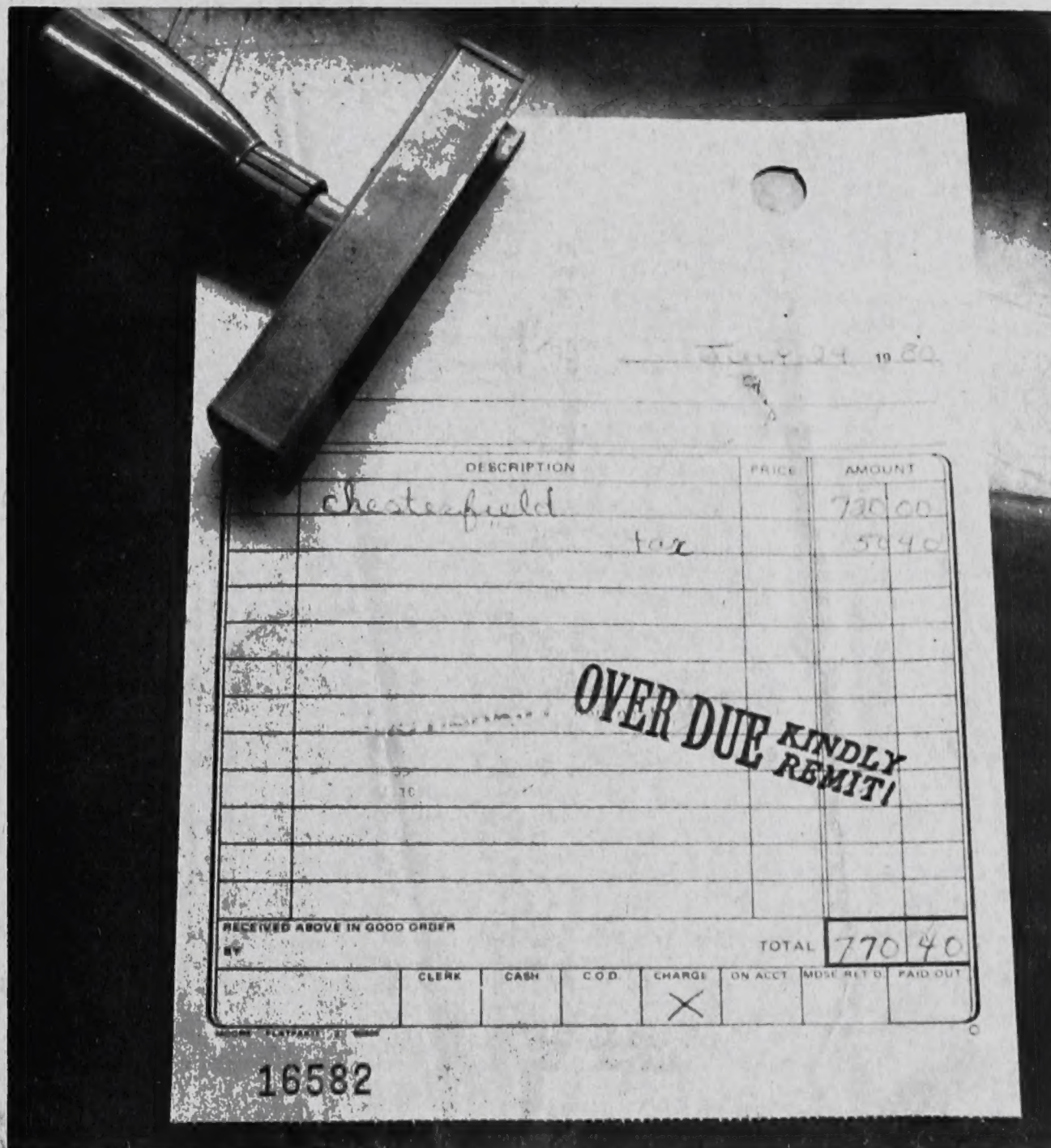
But court costs are different. Plaintiffs, (the party initiating the suit) can have the court costs added on to the debtors bill if he loses. The small claims court can prove worthwhile if it costs nothing more than the time spent in court to collect bills.

Whereas collection agencies regularly take one-third of the debt collected, small claims court fees are based on the clerk's time to prepare the necessary papers and the bailiff's time to deliver them. Surprisingly, collection agencies use the court system too, to collect delinquent bills.

Most claims, which can range up to a maximum

of \$1,000, are collected after court appearances. The exception occurs when a debtor has moved from the area and may be difficult to trace.

The Haliburton County courts have always had their share of clientele with courts formally held in Minden and Tory Hill as well as Haliburton village.



The reason the court exists

More than 20 years ago the three courts were amalgamated into the Haliburton village court. In those earlier years, it seemed like the same people were in court month after month for bad debt after bad debt. But that has changed now.

Many people want their day in court to dispute a bill or stand up for their rights. Sometimes it is the simplest means of solving the problem.

If a court case is won, debts are not always paid immediately; often convenient payments are scheduled to be paid through the court until the debt is cleared. Interest, if it has been attributed to the account by the creditor, can be collected also.

Court judgements sometimes fail to collect bad debts however, but they open the door to other means of collection. Of a judgement is not paid, the debtor can be brought back to court to "show cause" why he has not been able to fulfill his

Claims can be made within six years

payments. In this case, a judge can defer payments until the debtor is able to pay.

If other court dates fail to produce payments, wages can be garnished but only up to 30 percent. Procedures also allow for debtors belongings to be seized and sold for payment but as always, the small claims court provides ample means to defend against the move.

The claims that make their way to the court room are virtually limitless but once a claim is made and judgement is given the claimant relinquishes any further right to sue in excess of the claim in any court.

Limitation periods also apply to claims which cannot be made after a certain amount of time has passed. In most cases, claims can be made within six years but if the action is based on a motor vehicle accident, the claimant has only two years to sue. There are shorter limitation periods for other matters. Claimants have the right to sue doctors or dentists only one year after the event and only three months may pass before suing a municipality based on non-repair of a municipal road.

Although the small claims court may seem forbidding to the layman, it is designed to help him collect his debts and it is accessible to him. The clerk, Betty Hodgson who has an office on the Highland Street in Haliburton, is able to help claimants with most aspects of the court and the preparation of documents.

The Ministry of the Attorney General has also compiled a concise and easily-understood booklet on small claims court and its workings for both plaintiffs and defendants. It can be obtained at the clerk's office.

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EDITORIALS

The true spirit of Christmas

Each year, in the crush of Christmas buying, in the confusion of a season that has all but lost the simple values it once symbolized, isolated examples of the Christmas spirit emerge. And although they are few, those examples give the season a meaning that can never be reflected in its more garrish and crassly commercial manifestations.

In Haliburton village, the Salvation Army and the warm and woolley tree project symbolize a side of Christmas that is all too often forgotten - the spirit of sharing.

In its quiet way, the Salvation Army does more for the community's needy than any other single organization. Though its members are few and its funds limited, the Army remains undaunted. It directs its energies toward providing a better Christmas for people who could not hope to have it in any other way. It's workers man the kettle on the main street in all kinds of weather, seeking the donations that enable the Army to do its work. It is a thankless task, and one that few would be willing to carry out, but it is a task that should not go unrecognized.

The warm and woolley tree, located in the Bank of Montreal also symbolizes the spirit of giving. Each year, the tree is covered with hats, mitts and scarves, some hand made, some purchased, but all destined to be given to those who need them most.

The Salvation Army and the warm and woolley tree are an important part of Christmas in the Haliburton area. Those fortunate enough not to need the help of either can make Christmas a little better by dropping money in the kettle or hanging something on the tree. The reward will come in knowing that in doing so, you have helped keep alive a small part of the true spirit of Christmas.

There when they're needed

There can be hardly a property owner anywhere who does not fear the consequences of fire. A moment of carelessness, a poorly installed or ill maintained wood stove, faulty wiring, and a host of other mishaps can cause a fire that in minutes will destroy a lifetime of work and saving.

Knowing what fire can do is an important step to preventing it, but when fires do occur, it is also reassuring to know that throughout the area, there are volunteers ready, willing and able to douse the blaze.

The importance of these volunteers was brought home last Thursday in a fire at a cottage on Kennisis Lake. By good fortune, a passing motorist noticed that the snow had melted off the roof of the unoccupied cottage, investigated and discovered the blaze. He notified Dysart firemen, and a volunteer brigade working out of Everitt's marina on the lake was called.

Equipped with portable pumps, hoses, and other equipment, the men rushed to the scene and got the pumps working quickly. Only when the hoses were fully charged did they open the cottage door. The tactic kept oxygen from the blaze as long as possible, and turned what might have been an inferno into a fire that caused heavy damage to only one room of the wood frame house.

No one likes to think about a fire in their home or cottage. But if one does occur, it is at least good to know that equipment and trained people are only a few minutes away.

The men who put out the blaze at Kennisis Lake had not been called on to fight a fire in at least two years, but they did their job when it counted. They deserve the community's thanks.



Snowstorm over Kennisis Lake

by LEN PIZZEY

Reader recalls early days of Allsaw

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

It was with interest this week we read of Allsaw and the interest shown by Murray Robertson.

The school, lodge, church, and post office mentioned were very interesting. In the lodge my grandfather, Robert McKnight, was grandmaster. The white church is still standing on a left corner at the bottom of the big hill - Robert McKnight built it and was lay Pastor, Sunday School superintendent, and ministered there many a time. He and his sister Martha Anne Pettigrew played organ and sang together at that Presbyterian church.

The Daunceys and Robertson's were close friends. Robert's first wife died leaving six children. He remarried Dorothy Annie Little from Port Hope and she cared for his children and the farm, stock, etc., while he and others trekked through the woods to Bobcaygeon, 34 miles away. She also drove the mail from Allsaw to Minden and back. Altogether, they had 11 children to raise.

Somewhere there must be records of the Orange

Lodge, year and grandmaster etc., when the church was built, also of the Post Office and mail deliveries. I hope in future some others will show interest in Allsaw's history.

I was born and raised about three miles from grandfather Robert's property.

Some of them might have played cards but as far as I know neither Grampa Roberts or his son Walter McKnight or my mother Minnie McKnight Nesbitt ever played or allowed a deck of cards in their home nor alcohol.

May some readers arise and speak of what they know of Allsaw's history.

Mrs. Goldie Phillips
Gilmour, Ont.

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COTA should be supported or disbanded

Editor's Notebook

by LEN PIZZEY

The Central Ontario Travel Association is unhappy with the government's announcement that funding to COTA, and to the 11 other travel associations in Ontario, will remain at 1975 levels for the sixth year in a row. The association thinks the government's position is unreasonable, and it's tough to disagree.

When the associations were formed in 1975, their main purposes was to act as umbrella bodies for tourism promotion in major areas of the province. The importance of tourism was growing then, and it continues to grow today. The associations gave focus to the disparate groups which had been trying to attract tourists to their community, county or region, but in most cases, they did not replace those groups.

The government of Ontario felt tourism promotion at the regional level was a vital addition to the tourist industry in 1975, but it apparently no longer thinks so today. By keeping funding at 1975 levels, the province is merely prolonging the death throes of the organizations it was instrumental in forming seven years ago.

It seems more than a little ironic that a government which thinks nothing of spending \$10 million tax dollars on a jet aircraft for use by

cabinet ministers and mandarins, and that can spend over \$600 million to buy a quarter of an oil company without hope of reasonable return for years, perhaps decades to come, cannot see its way clear to at least keep grants to travel associations in line with other government spending.

Taxpayers clamour for restraint, and see far too little of it. But what must always be questioned is the wisdom of the expenditure, and the consequences of its elimination. People in the Haliburton area have good reason to be concerned about the government's attitude toward COTA and the other 11 associations in Ontario. If travel associations are worth having, they are entitled to reasonable support - support that at least keeps pace with rising costs and the growing sophistication of the tourism market. If the government believes associations are no longer worthwhile, it should say so, and end the matter.

Keeping COTA and other groups in limbo may be a means the government is using to avoid the decision, but it is not a tactic that is likely to find favour with very many people.

By the time this paper hits the streets, Haliburton County council will have chosen a new warden. And although the decision will not be formally made until Tuesday evening, at which time this paper will be on its way to the printing plant, it's no secret that Lutterworth reeve Ron

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Feir Play

Creighton Feir

It won't be very long before we will be leaving 1981 and heading into the new year of 1982. The time was never better than now to reflect on the many good and bad things that happened in 1981. Yes, during the past year there were many good things and many bad things that hit both the local and national scene. We all complained about many things, during the past year, but when you look around and see the many things that we should be thankful for, compared to some of the problems some of our senior citizens had to contend with in days gone by, we can all be really thankful. Granted we sit around these days talking gloom and doom, about budgets and recessions and these are problems that don't seem to bring out the laughter in us, no, just the opposite, they are all quite depressing. But through it all just stop for a moment and think of all the millions of people in other countries who every day of their lives are faced with hardships, starvation, with practically no future to look forward to. We who are fortunate enough to live here in Canada, have more than a great deal to be thankful for, but we feel that we must carry on criticizing municipal, provincial and federal governments on every little issue. There are many problems that the politicians in all levels of government would love to solve but they just can't seem to come up with the answers.

In conversation with one of my friends last Saturday morning on the main street in Haliburton, he remarked to me just how dirty all the vehicles seemed to be at this time of the year. As these vehicles past one could see that the sand and salt that are placed on our highways to get rid of the ice were starting to take its toll on both cars and trucks. The friend during the short talk happened to mention that Haliburton has a great many things, but one new business that is badly needed in two is a car wash. Until the day comes when a car wash comes to Haliburton let's not forget that you can get that dirt off your car at the car wash in Minden, at Minden Rent-all.

Mrs. Diane Bock from California, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bannon in Haliburton recently, and Nancy Maughan has returned home following a vacation in St. Lucia.

Pastor Stan Rukin of the Full Gospel Lighthouse in Haliburton will be the guest speaker when the Brotherhood of Anglican Churchmen hold their monthly corporate communion and breakfast at St. George's Anglican Church this Sunday morning, December 20, at 8:00 a.m.

It seems to me to be a funny thing when one stops to think about the fact that during the year most of us really don't give too much thoughts to the problems of our fellow man or neighbours. Most of us feel that we should look after number one and let everyone else look out for themselves. How much time do we take to visit a friend or a person, who may have a problem that we can help them with. No, we are too busy and as an excuse we say that we haven't got the time to get away from our busy schedule. When you stop and think about it, don't you think that it's a fact that especially during the month of December and as Christmas day approaches, we all seem to get that spirit of Peace on Earth, Good will toward men. At this particular time of the year most of us seem to change into different characters and start out on a schedule of visiting people, shaking hands and just plain saying hello. This is the time of the year when we stop people on the street to wish them a Merry Christmas and the best of everything in the new year. It's also at this time of the year that most of us start to think of all those who are less fortunate than ourselves. If we can do these kind deeds in December, then why can't we do them all year round. If some of us can just start to be a little more friendly, visit those who need it more and say hello to everyone we meet, it won't take long before it will rub off on our neighbours and friends. Think about this as we head into a new year and see if you can put it into practice.

At the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Haliburton held at the United Church in Haliburton last Thursday night, Rick Elstone was named as the new member on the Board of Directors for 1982-83. It's the Rotary Club's annual Christmas party this Thursday evening, December 17, and Millionaires Night is scheduled for the curling rink for Thursday, January 7.

Don't forget that Santa Claus will be arriving in Haliburton this Saturday, December 19. He will be making his appearance at the Legion Hall at 1:00 p.m. There will be plenty of entertainment, a good movie and a gift for all the boys and girls. It is being co-sponsored by the Rotary Club of Haliburton and Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 129.

Speaking with John Sutherland, manager of the Bank of Montreal in Haliburton, he informs me that the response to the "Warm and Woolley Tree" which is located in the bank building has been overwhelming. The staff of the Bank of Montreal in co-operation with the Salvation Army are sponsoring this project and they are urging you to keep bringing in your parcels. On or about December 22 the items will be delivered to the Salvation Army to be distributed to needy families in the surrounding area.

And now here is a final note: To complete your Christmas tree fire safety program, use only lighting equipment bearing the Canadian Standards Association label of approval, and make sure every wire and socket is in proper working order. Finally, use only decorations made of non-combustible or approved slow-burning material. Use of fire-retardant chemical spray on your tree is no substitute for butt immersion, and is not recommended.

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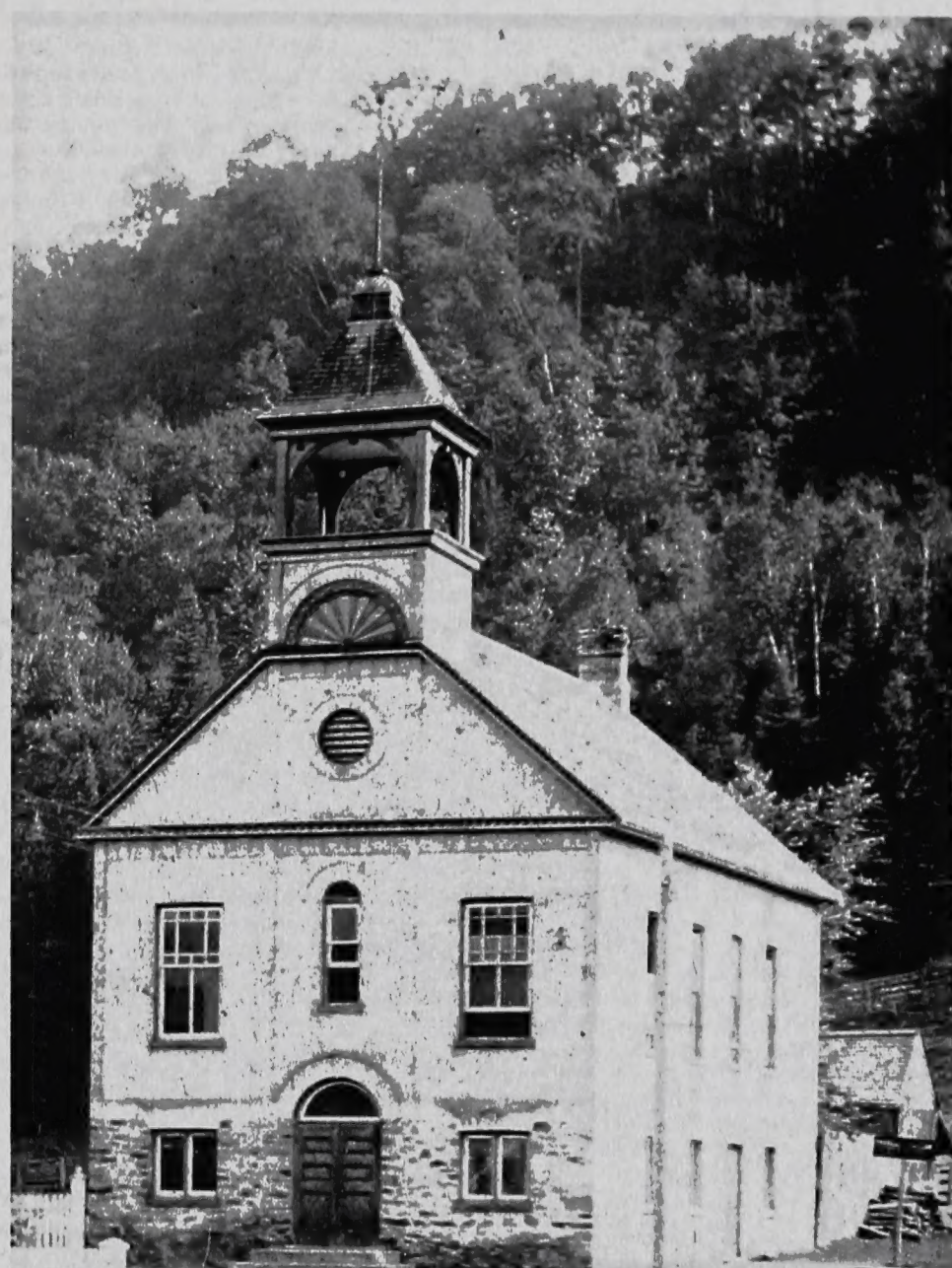
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VIEWPOINT

Pic of the Past



Our thanks go out to Mrs. V. Chalmers of Burnt River, Ontario for giving us permission to publish this picture showing the Municipal Hall at Haliburton about the year 1920. As one can see a great many changes have been made to the interior and exterior of the building since this photo was taken and also many changes have been made to the land surrounding the building. The highway was not paved at that time and the sidewalks were of wood construction. Notice the rows of wood piled at the rear of the building.

Bill Smiley

Sometimes, when my family gets particularly active, another word for manipulative, I wish I were a crusty old bachelor, living in a shack up north somewhere, smoking my pipe, reading my old favorites, communing with nature, and quietly and philosophically facing the only sure thing in this world: death.

These moods don't last long, and they are not indicative of deep depression. I'm not a wrist-slitter or a pill-taker. I'm just a poor old guy, slogging away at his daily chores, caught in the web of a nutty family.

My daughter, after eight years of alternating between

having babies, collecting degrees, and moving from one sleazy place to another, seemed to have reformed.

A little over two years ago, she got a job, teaching in Miosonee, one of the arm-pits of Canada. But the money was good, she enjoyed her work, and she swore, "I'm never going to be poor again." That sounded pretty good to me, having bailed her out on half a dozen occasions and spent a goodly few thousand on tuition fees, living expenses, baby presents and such. She was offered a department head's position, accepted it, and seemed ready for another year in the north.

Three weeks later she informed us that she was quitting the teaching game, moving to Hull, Quebec, and looking for a job. Three months later, she's poor again, and hasn't a job. That's about standard in our family.

My son is equally impervious to the fact that we live in a capitalist society. Perhaps that's not quite accurate. But he doesn't exactly ooze with the work ethic. He's not afraid of work, but he's an idealist. That, and 40 cents, will buy you a cup of coffee in this country.

At present, he works two nights a week as a waiter in a classy restaurant. Makes

good money, but working more at that would cramp his other life. On the side, he treats people with reflexology, a type of massage, at \$25 a rattle. So he's not broke.

But he rents a piano, takes lessons in music composition and jazz, and recently forked out \$500 for a course in healing people. All he wants is about ten thousand bucks to go back to Paraguay, buy some land, build a centre for the dissemination of Ba-hai and healing by natural methods.

When he has money, he blows it. Expensive gifts (to his parents' long-distance

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Grants for grooming money well spent

Serendipity

by SUE COOPER

There's a fanatic in every family. The symptoms are easy to detect.

As the first few flakes sift down in dreary November, the fanatics are tearing up the last strands of green grass with their rubber-studded tracks. Throwing grass, and some snow, the skis sparking on stones. But they're having a good time.

They haven't had this much fun since they raced their machines through the icy mud of March.

Usually the rest of the family looks on until the landscape is covered with snow. Then they too enjoy blazing through the trails and drifts.

Southern Ontario breeds fanatics. Some years when little snow falls, the fanatics are everywhere. They run their machines along fence rows, corn field (between the rows) and in road ditches. Snowmobiling is lots of fun there.

Here in Haliburton County though, we're usually blessed with a hefty covering of snow and

miles and miles of groomed trails to enjoy it on.

Monday night, two Rotary Clubs, Minden and Haliburton, joined together to present the Haliburton Snowmobile Association with \$2,215. By helping the snowmobile association to stay on its feet, the Rotary clubs are promoting a solid business community, county-wide.

The trails will take a rider just about anywhere there is to go. Whether its local residents riding the trails or vacationers, money is being spent here. And that's a widely-known fact.

With any luck, the snowmobile association will work its way towards its funds needed to operate the trails and, let's hope, they'll be able to keep up their competent grooming system. The group has already raised half its necessary budget.

Then if it doesn't snow anywhere else this winter, all the fanatics will come here to enjoy the great trails provided by the association.

Economic problems deserve attention

Report from Parliament

The federal government's controversial Constitution motion finally came to a vote in the House of Commons last Wednesday, after 14 months of bitter debate in the Commons, and countless federal/provincial conferences.

The Conservative Opposition in the House of Commons was opposed to the government resolution right from the start, but we were placed in a very difficult position due to the fact that the Liberals have a majority in the House and could push it through whenever it came to a vote.

Our position was that the British North America Act has served us well for 114 years, and that the House should have been devoting its time and efforts to solving the country's economic problems.

When the Prime Minister refused our request to set aside the Constitution motion for awhile and deal with such things as high interest rates, inflation and unemployment, the Conservative Opposition then decided to hold off a vote on the bill as long as possible.

There were so many flaws and shortcomings in the original proposal that we felt that we should deal with it clause by clause, and attempt to get the House to adopt a series of amendments that we proposed.

Most of our amendments were adopted, and so while it still falls short of being an acceptable substitute for the old Constitution, it is a far better document than the one tabled by the government in 1980.

Of the 282 members of the House of Commons, 270 were in the House for the final vote. It passed by a margin of 246 to 24.

Of those who voted against the bill, 17 were from the Conservative Caucus, five were from the Liberal Caucus and two were from the New Democratic Caucus. The Bill is now being debated

in the Senate, where a vote is expected some time this week.

Most Canadians are relieved that the Constitution debate is finally over, and it is hoped that the government will now turn its attentions, and the attentions of Parliament, to the very serious question of the national economy.

It is imperative that we tackle finance minister MacEachen's disastrous budget as soon as possible, and force the government to reverse or modify many of its most dangerous provisions.

Statistics Canada reported recently that the Canadian economy is at its worst level in 30 years, with economic growth virtually at a standstill. We know already that small business and farms are failing in Canada today at a greater rate than at any time since the Great Depression.

MacEachen's budget has removed practically all incentive to capital investment in Canadian industries and businesses, resulting in massive layoffs of workers in some of our largest and oldest established industries. Among those already affected are the automotive industry and the agricultural machinery industry.

We simply have to put the brakes on the frequent and massive increases in the cost of gasoline. Elected on a promise to keep gasoline price increases below the 18 cents per gallon proposed by the Conservatives, the price per gallon has increased by 71 cents in Ontario already this year, and has virtually doubled since the Liberals regained power in 1980. We cannot afford to wait any longer to convince the federal government to reduce its tax grab and reverse the serious slide in our national economy.

Queen's Park Report

by John Eakins, MPP

Property Tax Grants

I appreciate the frustration of many senior citizens who are upset and angry about long delays in receiving property tax grants. Apparently the Ministry of Revenue has paid out more than \$1.3 million in such grants to people who are ineligible to receive them. The overpayments in the first year of the program were sent due to a variety of computer errors, human mistakes and lack of program coordination. Moreover, many senior citizens are complaining that it is almost impossible to get through on the telephone number published for enquiries, and many have suggested that several more lines or phone numbers are urgently needed. Members of all parties, stressing the number of problems in this connection which have come to their attention, have said that senior citizens are calling for more than platitudes. "They want to get some action."

Liquor Licence Board

The Minister of Consumer and Commercial Affairs has told the Legislature that the Provincial Auditor was asked in the summer of 1980 to review the operations of the Liquor Licence Board of Ontario because the Government felt "some matters had gone awry". It now appears that a consulting firm was hired by a senior official of the Board (whose wife worked for the firm), was paid thousands of dollars for work that, it seems, has never been done. LLBO ordered "questionable" hospitality for people doing regular business with the Board.

Day Care Facilities

According to the Minister of Revenue, there's nothing new or unfair about the Ontario Government. Cont'd. page 16

From the Chamber

by Bob Stinson

Following last week's announcement of the establishment of a Tourist and Convention Bureau those who have expressed concern felt that we were creating possibly another piece of bureaucracy that would increase our administration costs. Certainly, over the long term, we cannot say for sure what the effect may be, but at the present the change does not effect the total administrative costs at all. The staff and office facilities remain the same but the duties and responsibilities will be

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SPORTS

Bantams win trophy

Haliburton overpowers better teams

The Haliburton Bantams completed a busy week with another tournament championship in Minden and a total of nine games in eight days. It was the third championship for the club, who also have a consolation championship to add to their collection for the young season. The Bantams always manage to come up big when they are playing bigger and probably better teams in the tournaments. The first game in the Minden Tournament was a prime example when they defeated a much larger and better balanced Lindsay "A" team 3 to 2.

On paper there was no way Haliburton should have come close to Lindsay, and Lindsay probably should not have been in the tournament which was for "C" teams and lower. Haliburton played a very determined game, however, and even though Lindsay tried to outmuscle them, the local team jumped into a 2 to 0 lead and held on until Lindsay tied the game with four minutes left in the third period.

Len Johnston opened the scoring in the first period on passes from MacNaull and Blake and Dennis McKee scored early in the second period on a pass from Chris LaPorte. Lindsay had a very strong defence and Haliburton's attack had a very difficult time in penetrating the Lindsay zone. Lindsay finally scored when Vince Duchene in the Haliburton net mis-handled a long shot that rolled into the crease.

Lindsay roared right back and tied the game 10 seconds later and it appeared the Haliburton club were going to fold up, but Duchene then came up with some big saves near the end of the game to hold the local boys.

The rules of the tournament gave a tie game to the team that scores the first goal in the game so Lindsay pulled their goalie for an extra attacker in the closing seconds and Chris LaPorte scored in the last second to insure the Haliburton win. The Lindsay club were very rough and the referees were more than lenient throughout the con-

test when Lindsay players actually threw punches and should have been removed from the game, but were given only minor penalties, along with Haliburton players who did not retaliate. Chris LaPorte was crosschecked to the ice when the final buzzer went and the Lindsay players who were frustrated to that point joined in the melee at centre ice. The Lindsay coaches did nothing to try to control their players.

Haliburton then defeated Powassan 4-1 and trounced Peterborough George St. 8-1 in the final.

Haliburton jumped into a 3-0 lead in the first period against Powassan on goals from LaPorte, Johnston and McKee. Powassan scored in the second and Mike MacNaull finished the scoring in the third. In the final game for the championship, Haliburton jumped into the lead with

three goals from Johnston, LaPorte and McKee in the opening minutes and never looked back as they completely dominated the Peterborough club. Each team scored in the second period with LaPorte getting Haliburton's marker. LaPorte then notched his third and fourth goals of the game along with a goal from Mike MacNaull, to end the game at 8-1. Haliburton was presented with the Floyd He Memorial Trophy and medallions.

Chris LaPorte was the top scorer in the tournament with six goals and three assists for nine points. MacNaull totalled five points and McKee and Johnston each had three goals for the day. Vince Duchene had only four goals scored on him in three games for a 1.33 goals per game

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The Haliburton Huskies came up with a convincing 12-5 win Saturday night in a game against Midland. Here, goaltender Craig Wood handles a shot while

Duff Mitchell races in to neutralize the rebound. The Huskies have now reached the half way mark in the season.

Come back game for Midgets against Minden

The Haliburton OMHA Midgets played come back hockey Friday night in a home game against Minden. The local team watched four goals go into the net before they could get on the board, but they came storming back to register an 8-6 victory.

Rob MacLeod made it 1-0 for Minden at 4:35 of the opening period, on a three way passing play from Eldon Bull and Doug Schell. A minute and 20 seconds later, Jeff Stamp scored on a pass from Bob Edge and Minden had a 2-0 lead.

Haliburton was unable to find the mark, but Minden continued to press the play, stretching their lead to three at 9:22 when Scott Hamilton set up Andy Shapiera.

Some 42 seconds later Minden took what looked like a commanding lead as Eldon Bull put the puck past Tim

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Huskies almost beat Bears

The Haliburton Huskies came within a period of handing the league leading Bracebridge Bears a defeat on Friday, but after fighting from behind to gain a 9-7 lead early in the third period, the Huskies were unable to hold on. They made up for it on Saturday night, however, outplaying the Midland Centennials from the opening faceoff and skating to an easy 12-5 win.

In Friday's game in Bracebridge, the Huskies showed the kind of determination that has made them a solid contender this year, much to the chagrin not only of Bracebridge, but of other teams in the league, who have been less than happy about Haliburton's presence in the Georgian Bay Junior C loop.

Bracebridge came out strongly in the opening minutes of the period, surging to a two goal lead before the three minute mark. But the Huskies began to click at 3:53, when Shawn Chapman connected on a pass from

Corey Walker. Play tightened up from that point as both teams struggled to gain the momentum.

The luck swung Haliburton's way at the 9:49 mark, when Tim Davies tied the score with help from Ron Yake and Robb Abbs. Haliburton continued to press the play, and at 13:11 of the period, the Bears found themselves a goal behind as Davies notched his second, assisted once more by Yake.

The Huskies were unable to contain the Bear's scoring punch for long however. The home team got three more before the period ended to take a 5-3 lead into the second frame.

The Huskies narrowed the margin to a single goal at 1:18 of the second, when Gary Harrison found the mesh with help from Walker and Scott Arbuthnot.

For the next 10 minutes, neither team gained a clear advantage, but at 11:16, Bracebridge capitalized on a man advantage situation to

take a 6-4 lead. A minute and 25 seconds later, they made it 7-4 and the Huskies' hopes appeared to be fading. But a roughing call against Bracebridge brought out the power play, and Tim Davies moved the Huskies to within two goals at 16:09, assisted by Dave Nicholls and Duff Mitchell.

Haliburton came alive in the last minutes of the period, taking the play to Bracebridge and neutralizing the Bears' offense.

At 17:45, Yake moved the Huskies to within one goal, assisted by Arbuthnot. Eleven seconds later, Tim Davies got the tying marker with help from Yake and Nicholls. And at 19:22 of the period,

the Huskies moved into an 8-7 lead on a goal by Nicholls, assisted by Yake and Mitchell.

The Huskies kept the momentum in the early going of the third period, taking a two goal lead at 2:49 off the stick of Yake, who was aided on the play by Nicholls.

But Haliburton was unable to hold onto the lead against the onslaught of the powerful Bears. Bracebridge scored five unanswered goals as the clock wound down, moving into a 13-9 lead.

When the Huskies did finally manage to regain the scoring punch it was too late. Tim Davies' goal at 19:23 of the period, assisted by Yake, gave the Huskies 10 goals to

Bracebridge's 13. But it had been an excellent showing nonetheless for the Huskies, and for goal tender Craig Wood, who stopped 53 shots, 20 of them in the fast paced first period.

Saturday the Huskies were at home to meet the Midland Centennials and as it turned out, they had an easy time of it, notching a dozen goals and just missing on several more excellent chances.

The Huskies got off to a slow start in the opening period, and at 3:15, found themselves trailing 1-0.

It wasn't until 10:09 of the period that Darrin MacInnes, who played an aggressive game for the Huskies, tied

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Peewees win consolation, strong forechecking counts

The Haliburton Little Huskies Peewees captured the consolation trophy in the Baysville Peewee Tournament on Saturday.

The Little Huskies lost their first game against the eventual tournament champions from Thornton by a score of 3-0. Despite playing a strong game Haliburton was shut-out for the second time this year by a more experienced club.

In the all important second game Haliburton came out skating against the Humphrey squad. Strong forechecking led to the first goal as Drew Mitchell brought home a goal mouth pass from 'Big Red' Nicholls in the first period. In the second period Colin Hunter rushed the puck into the Humphrey zone, passed to Jaro Cooper who relayed the puck to Jeff Warburton, who made no

mistake in blinking the red light. In the third period Haliburton poured on the pressure, scoring five unanswered goals. Nicholls scored on a power play on a set-up from Cooper. A few minutes later Jeff Popple took a pass from Ron Perrin and unleashed a slap shot which caught the corner. Nicholls notched his second goal of the game assisted by Cooper and Mitchell. Ben Packard and Jeff Smith closed out the scoring on fine behind the net set-ups by Warburton and Nicholls. Darryl Godard played a faultless goal and chalked up the shut out in Haliburton's 7-0 victory.

In the Consolation championship game Haliburton faced off against a determined team from Omemee. Excellent goaltending on both teams led to a scoreless first period. Haliburton scored midway in the second

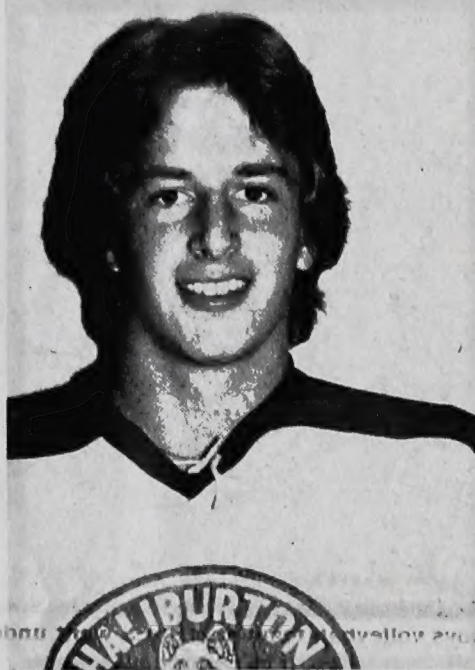
period when Jeff Warburton got the draw over to Ben Packard; Packard's accurate low shot found the mark and Haliburton led 1-0 going into the third period. In the final frame 'Red' Nicholls continued forechecking led to two goals assisted by Jaro Cooper and Jeff Smith. Omemee spoiled Darryl Goodall's chance for a second consecutive shut out with a score with only 47 seconds left in the game to make the final score 3-1.

The Little Huskies played a determined aggressive style throughout the tournament and backed up by solid defensive work and goaltending they were able to capture their first 'silverware' of the year.



Ron Yake is surrounded by Midland players as he presses the attack in a home game at the Dysart arena Saturday night. The Huskies were in fine form, driving a dozen goals and just missing a number of other excellent chances.

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Huskies overcome Midland

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the score with help from Gary Harrison and Tim Davies.

The Huskies moved into the lead at 14:37 on a goal by Tim Davies, who was assisted by Yake and Nicholls.

Neither team could find the mark for the rest of the period, although the Huskies maintained the edge in play-making.

A minute and 47 seconds into the second period, Ron Yake gave the Huskies a 3-1 lead with help from Nicholls and Arbuthnot. Midland narrowed the margin to a single goal at 2:57, but the Huskies regained the two goal cushion at 4:59 as Darrin MacInnes found the mesh with help from Gary Harrison and Kevin Shapiera.

Close checking helped keep the puck out of the net at both ends of the rink for the next 10 minutes but at 15:37, Midland again moved to within a single goal. The Huskies capitalized on a man

advantage situation at 17:17 however, to round out the scoring in the period. Ron Yake got the goal, assisted by Nicholls and Davies.

The third period belonged to the Huskies, as Midland lost the skating drive that had kept them in contention in the two thirds of the match. The Huskies pounded shot after shot at the Midland net, ringing shots off the post on at least three occasions and scoring six more goals, one of them off the mask of a Midland defender.

The Huskies onslaught began at 5:25 of the period, as Dave Nicholls scored while his team was shorthanded.

Other goals came at 7:37, when Walker scored, assisted by Don Manary; at 10:16, when Robb Abbs connected from MacInnes and Shapiera on a power play; at 12:20, again on a power play, as Abbs got help from Brian Lloyd and Duff Mitchell; at

12:59, still on the power play, off the stick of Corey Walker unassisted; at 15:16 when Nicholls scored from Davies, and at 15:25, when Nicholls completed the hat trick with help from Yake and Davies.

Midland managed just two goals in the period, at 3:21

and 10:56 to round out the scoring at 12-5 for the Huskies.

Friday the Huskies will travel to Oro for a game against the 77's, and Sunday, they'll be at home to meet Gravenhurst. Game time is 2:30 p.m.

Misfits move into fourth as Bloopers drop to fifth

The Misfits moved into fourth place in bowling action last Tuesday, putting the Bloopers into fifth place. The other teams remained the same with the Steamrollers in first, the Road Runners in second, the Troopers in third and the Dambusters in last place.

The only triple over 300 was rolled by Eva Piper with 717. Games of 200 and over were rolled by Eva Piper, 263,

213 and 241; Eleanor Young, 200, Virna Wagg, 255, Millie Boskett, 208, Tom Hurtt, 219, Nick Nimigon, 235, Lloyd Boskett, 211, Loretta Henderson, 223, Ruby Francis, 206, Gladys Wruth, 236 and 203, Maud Coulter, 201 and 205, and Harry Henderson, 203.

The high-low doubles tournament was won by Tom Hurtt and Loretta Henderson.



The girls volleyball team from HHSES made it to the finals of a tournament held recently at the school. Pictured are, back row, from left: Lynn Townsend, Sue Peel, Michele Harrison, Lindsey Tachlin, Marion

Medcalf, Nancy Clement, coach Roy Scott. Front row, from left: Melissa Creelman, Tracy Harrison, Karen Cook, Tanya Rosenberg, Lynda Pockett. Absent: Lisa Williams.

Bantams win championship

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average which is very low for Bantam hockey.

Haliburton defeated Bobcaygeon earlier in the week 8 to 3 when Mike MacNaull notched the hat trick to keep their top position in the league. Bobcaygeon opened the scoring when Kirby Swan scored his first of three for the visitors. Cory McKnight tied the game on an end to end rush. Haliburton then scored four goals in succession off the sticks of Chris LaPorte and then MacNaull, who scored the other three. Tran LaRue assisted on two of the goals and Mike MacInnes received three assists. Swan scored his second of the game late in the period. Johnston opened the scoring in the third on a pass from McKnight but Swan once again replied for Bobcay-

geon. McKnight from LaPorte and McKee, and LaPorte from Johnston and MacNaull rounded out the scoring for the game.

Haliburton travelled to Little Britain on Friday evening and ended up in a 3-3 tie. The local boys were not in the game in the first period as they were outplayed badly and Little Britain scored three goals before Len Johnston got Haliburton back into the game. Neither team scored in the second as Haliburton could not get their attack functioning. After a rest between periods Haliburton showed a little more desire and were rewarded with a goal as Johnston notched his second of the game on passes from MacNaull and Cooper. Haliburton were then called for a penalty in the last two minutes and defeat seemed to

be their reward, but Coach MacNaull pulled Duchene in the Haliburton net and Mike MacNaull scored to tie the game with only 41 seconds remaining in the game.

Haliburton received six penalties and were lucky to come back with a big third period. Duchene was knocked

out for a few seconds in the second as he made a diving save on a good Little Britain scoring opportunity. He recovered and played the rest of the game with a bad headache.

Haliburton has now played 24 games and have lost only three to lead the league.

Peewees win one, tie one in recent league games

Showing marked improvement in the past few weeks the Haliburton Little Huskies Peewees won one game and tied the other in their most recent league games.

On December 4 in Woodville the Little Huskies fought back to tie the local team at four goals each. Haliburton

was led by Jaro Cooper who notched two goals and assisted on another. 'Red' Nicholls and Jeff Smith scored the others.

On Tuesday, December 8 the Little Huskies trounced Lindsay by a score of 7-1. Lindsay got on the scoreboard

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The boys volleyball team at HHSES went undefeated in a six team volleyball tournament at the school recently. Team members are, back row from left: Mike Rutter, coach Roy Hoare, Mike Blake, Ron MacDon-

ald, Mike MacNaull, coach Nick Pawluch, Ed Dupe. Front row, from left: Darryl Goodall, John Burton, Ian Cooper, Darryl Tunall, Tran LaRue, Scooter Burgess. Absent: Craig Meharrie.

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The Scoresheet

Haliburton won the Floyd Hie Memorial trophy donated and presented by Shirley and Carl Hie at the Bantam tournament on Saturday.

Lindsay won the Gordon Monk trophy presented by Cameron Monk.

1st game: Minden vs Fenelon Falls was also a league game

1st period: 0:14 - Greg Newell scored unassisted

2nd period: 1:32 - Fenelon Falls scored

3rd period: 5:47 - Greg Newell scored from Mike Gorveatt and Jeff Howe

7:47 - Craig Burk connected from Jeff Howe

1:25 - Fenelon Falls scored

Final Score: Minden 3, Fenelon Falls 2.

2nd GAME - Haliburton vs. Lindsay

1st period: 3:16 - Haliburton's Len Johnston scored from Mike MacNaull and Mike Blake

2nd period: 1:23 - Haliburton's Dennis McKee scored from Chris LaPorte

3rd period: 5:46 Lindsay scored

5:36 - Lindsay scored

5:36 - Lindsay scored

0:01 - Haliburton's Trann LaRue scored from Len Johnston into an empty net on a power play.

Final Score: Haliburton 3, Lindsay 2

4th GAME - Minden vs George St.

George St. (Peterborough) scored a goal in each period, winning 3-0.

6th GAME - Haliburton vs Powassan

1st period: 1:45 - Chris Laporte scored from Tran LaRue

1:17 - Len Johnston scored from Mike MacNaull and Laporte

0:15 - Dennis McKee scored from LaRue

2nd period: 1:56 - Powassan scored

3rd period: 8:57 - Mike MacNaull scored from LaRue.

Final Score - Haliburton 4, Powassan 1

8th GAME - Haliburton vs George St.

1st period: 7:31 - Len Johnston scored from Mike MacNaull

7:10 - Chris Laporte scored from Dennis McKee

4:16 - Dennis McKee from Chris Laporte

2nd period: 7:15 - George St. scored

6:54 - Chris Laporte scored from Mike Blake

3rd period: 7:33 - Chris Laporte scored unassisted

2:20 - Chris Laporte scored from Mike McInnes

1:00 - Mike MacNaull scored unassisted.

Vince Duchene played well in goal for Haliburton.

Final Score: Haliburton 7, George St. 1

NOVICE: played in Fenelon Falls Thursday, December 10, - Minden vs Fenelon Falls.

Robbie Ackerblade scored for Minden in the 3rd period.

Final Score: Fenelon 2, Minden 1

ATOMS - No Games

PEE WEES played in Woodville Friday, December 11 - Minden vs Woodville

1st period: 6:50 - Tom MacLeod scored unassisted

7:18 - Woodville scored

2nd period: 3:20 - Woodville scored

9:35 - John Wells scored from Gord Wood

3rd period: 2:24 - Woodville scored

8:06 - Woodville scored

Final Score: Woodville 5, Minden 3

In Beaverton Sunday, December 13 - Minden vs Beaverton.

1st period: Corey Davis scored unassisted

David Preston scored from Tom MacLeod.

Beaverton scored three times

2nd period: John Wells scored from Corey Davis

- John Wells scored from Tom MacLeod

- Beaverton scored three more times

3rd period: Beaverton scored twice

Penalties: Minden 2 min. Beaverton 1 min.

Final Score: Beaverton 8, Minden 4

MIDGETS: played in Minden Saturday, December 5, Minden vs Lindsay.

Scoring for Minden were Scott Hamilton with

goals and assists Jeff Stamp with 3 goals and 3 assists, Bob Edge with 2 goals, Andrew Shapiera with 2 goals and 1 assist, Doug Schell with 1 goal, Robbie MacLeod with 3 assists and John Dillons, Wade Barry and Tim Wood each with 1 assist.

Final Score: Minden 12, Lindsay 1
In Haliburton Friday, December, 11 Minden vs Haliburton.

1st period: 10:25 - Rob MacLeod scored from Eldon Bull and Doug Schell

9:05 - Jeff Stamp scored from Bob Edge on power play

5:38 - Andrew Shapiera scored from Scott Hamilton

4:56 - Eldon Bull connected from Rob MacLeod

4:16 - Kelly Mitchell scored from Kevin Warburton and Bernie Upton for Haliburton

3:38 - Kevin Warburton scored from Upton and Mitchell

0:05 - Steve Smith scored on a power play

2nd period: 10:34 - Fred Roberts scored unassisted.

8:32 - Bernie Upton scored from Warburton and

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Wintario grants

awarded to local townships

Wintario grants have been approved for two projects in Haliburton County and a third in Somerville Township.

Anson, Hindon and Minden will get Wintario assistance for the installation of a new compressor at the community arena in Minden.

The Ontario Wild Water Affiliation will also get Wintario funds to carry out further improvements to the Gull River canoeing and kayaking course below Horse-shoe Lake.

A grant will also go to Somerville Township for the construction of a community centre in Burnt River.

In making the announcements, area MPP John Ekins noted that money for similar projects has been drastically reduced, with only \$30 million allotted to 18 jurisdictions representing the whole of Ontario.

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Recipients of cheques and awards were more than thrilled at the Rotary Club meeting in Minden, Monday evening. Haliburton County Snowmobile Association president Tom Prentice, left, realized the club was receiving The Whipper Watson Award for its part in the Rotary club's Annual Snowarama for Timmy, however he was stunned to receive cheques for \$2,215 from Minden and Haliburton Rotary. Snowarama chairman Lionel Walker presented the cheques and also Whipper Watson Awards to Ivana Coppo, of Gulf Oil and Giles Connelly of Imperial Oil, (absent in picture).

OMHA Midgets come back

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Deremo with help from MacLeod.

But Haliburton was not to be denied that easily. With

4:16 left to play in the opening period, Kelly Mitchell put the

home team on the board with help from Kevin Warburton

and Bernie Upton. Less than a minute later, Warburton

narrowed the gap to two goals, as Upton and Mitchell

helped set up the play.

Only five seconds remained on the clock when

Steve Smith moved Haliburton to within a single goal on a

solo effort.

Haliburton kept the momentum their way in the

opening minutes of the second period, tying the score

at 4:26 on Fred Robert's unassisted goal.

Two minutes later the local team surged into the lead for

the first time in the game as

Bernie Upton netted one with help from Warburton and Barry Boice.

Minden came back to tie the score at 7:35 however, on a goal by McLeod, assisted by Hamilton and Bull.

The deadlock lasted for close to four minutes as both

teams did all they could to take the lead. Finally, with

3:33 left on the clock, Scott Rae scored unassisted to give

Haliburton the lead for the second time in the game.

But Minden refused to be counted out. They fought

back to tie the score at six goals with 2:05 left in the

period as McLeod scored from Bull and Edge.

Neither team could break the deadlock for the rest of

the period, and both went to the dressing room to plan

strategy for the final confrontation.

As it turned out, the third period belonged to Haliburton.

Kelly Mitchell made it 7-6 at the 1:02 mark, with help

from Boice and Warburton, and despite Minden's best

efforts, they were kept off the board as the clock wound

down.

With just 29 seconds left to play, Mitchell got the

insurance marker with help from Upton and Warburton

and Haliburton skated off with another victory.

Ev Stata bowls

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In Wednesday afternoon mixed league bowling last

week, Ev Stata bowled a 688 triple for the Sky Sliders who

are in first place with 19 points. They have only a 2

point lead over the Thunderbirds who are in second

place with 17 points and tied with the Sky Larks who also

have 17 points. The Pelicans follow with 12 points. Miss

Fits have 10 and the Sting Rays also have 10 points.

Games 200 and over: Ev Stata, 250, 221, 217; Freida

Handy, 229, 219; Kay Barry, 228; Mary Lou Bird, 218, 215;

Muriel Peters, 219; Wilbert Tibbs, 218; Flo Henderson,

217; Jim Grant, 213; Gord Bennet, 206, 200; Garnet

Fagan, 204; and Betty Bennet, 204.

Atoms split weekend pair, contests close, exciting

The Haliburton OMHA Atoms split a pair of weekend games, losing to Little Britain 2-0 on Thursday and defeating Bobcaygeon 4-2 at home on Friday.

The game in Little Britain was an exciting contest with neither team scoring in the first two periods. Haliburton had a defensive lapse early in the third period and Little Britain banged home two quick goals to gain the victory.

Friday evening at home the Haliburton boys came out flying and pressed Bobcaygeon right from the opening face off. Bobcaygeon grabbed an early goal on a breakaway but after that it was Haliburton all the way. Philip Johnston and Jeff Francis each had two goals and two assists

while Kelly Youngdale assisted on all four goals. These three boys play on a new line made up by coach Gary McKnight and look as if their going to be a high scoring unit. The defence of Darren Byers and Shawn Perrin and Jason Smith along with goal tender Gavin McKnight are doing an excellent job of keeping the other team off the score sheet and the other forward line of Greg Schefee, Steven Prime and John Vuksic, while not scoring many goals, have been playing well defensively.

The next home game for the team is Friday evening against Fenelon Falls.

After the break for the holiday season the boys will be playing in a tournament in Beaverton on January 2.

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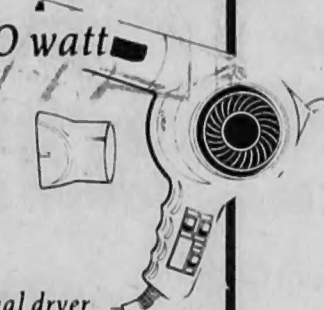
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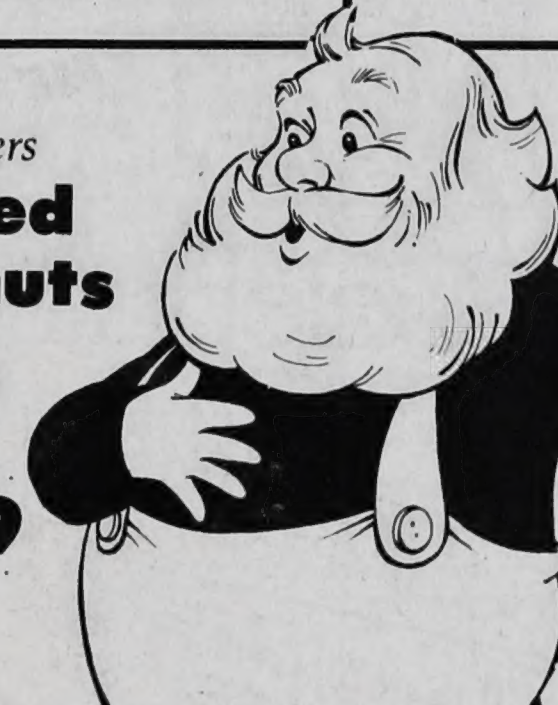
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Staff Reporter

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A lot of hours are spent by many volunteers in Stanhope Township to make their area a community where everyone will be proud to live. This year, one of the township's ardent volunteers was honoured with the annual citizen of the year award.

Ann Barker, who lives alongside Highway 35 in the township, was given the award by the township council after they reviewed the volunteer work she had done in the last year. As well as being a member of the community centre board, sponsoring a number of dances with proceeds going to municipal committee or charitable organizations, Barker served as chairman of the popular Stanhope Fun Day.

For the second year, Barker worked diligently with her committee to produce a fun-filled community festival with free activities. In the summer months when the numerous carnivals and fairs can tax any parent's pocketbook, the Fun Day has been a welcome relief.

The children enjoy the day too, as Barker has encouraged them to be part of the seniors' tea by

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Ann Barker

Second opinions available

Parents find advice in well-written child-rearing books

by Catharine Clark
Infant Development
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Have you ever wished that you had another opinion about disciplining your child? Do you wonder how to be your toddler's teacher on a long winter's day? A parenting publication may give you some answers. It's the be-prepared parent who has at least one trustworthy reference book even before they become a parent. Choose one that makes sense to you or comes recommended by a parent with whose opinions you agree. If you enjoy reading, you might be interested to learn some of the theory behind the practical suggestions you would find in a good parenting book. There are also shorter, simpler books with concrete ideas on play activities. Here are some suggestions:

Your Baby & Child - From Birth to Age Five by Penelope Leach 1978, Alfred Knopf, Publisher.

More than 650 illustrations enrich this excellent resource for new parents. Subheadings highlight short paragraphs for quick answers to questions about everyday living with young babies. Colour pictures with concise explanations of all areas of babies' development: the practical coupled with easy-to-read theoretical promotes parenting with understanding. Later chapters on preschoolers deal with behavioural problems in raising children. An interesting parenting encyclopedia ends the book.

The First Wondrous Year by Johnson & Johnson Developmental Publications, 1978 Collier Macmillan.

A beautiful, bright book with pictures on every page, packed with a lot of information. Thought-provoking and sensible parenting based on the latest psychological concepts to get you off on the right foot. Some criticism that the sections on physical development are divided into skill (such as moving, touching, seeing and hearing) rather than age so that parents have to flip pages to locate their child's developmental level.

Your Toddler Ages One & Two by Johnson & Johnson's R.R. Rubin et al 1978 Collier Macmillan.

Even better than the First Wondrous Year, this book covers the development of toddlers including feeding, sleeping, talking, toileting, discipline and temper tantrums in an understanding and engaging style. Excellent section on play and playthings with down-to-earth ideas for teaching very young children at home.

Child Learning Through Play by Ira Gordon et al 1972 St. Martin's Press.

This 116 page illustrated book lists a number of simple and inexpensive activities to

do with children that promote learning. Little theoretical explanation; ideas on how to make a story strip, crafts, a tasting game, stick and sock puppets and wedge blocks for two and three year olds. Baby Learning Through Baby Play covers the first two years with ideas on water play, searching, sorting and songs with finger plays.

Easy-to-make Furniture for Children by Paul Howard 1981 Personal Library Publishers.

This is one of a number of good "how to" books for anyone who is handy with basic tools. It is written by a young househusband, the father of a 4 year old and a 2

year old. Included in the 128 pages are illustrations and directions for 30 child-tested pieces of furniture and toys such as a drying rack for diapers, stacking cubes, blocks, a balancing beam, a horse, an indoor gym, a step so that a toddler can watch what's going on and a push cart to give confidence in maintaining balance. An excellent gift idea for the handyman or handywoman.

How To Parent by Fitzhugh Dodson 1970, Nash Publishers.

A chatty, over-the-table style with a sense of humour attracts parents to this thick, slightly verbose book. It

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Happy Gang News

By Watson Anderson

Monday was the day when Stedman's Department Store of Haliburton gathered together a good cross section of their stock and brought to extendicare, giving the Happy Gang and the public alike a chance to shop with us. That meant a lot of extra work without extra prices, a gesture that is hard to beat. It is reported that they had quite a busy two hours to the extent that it did not represent a loss, so who knows, it may be repeated again by Stedmans or even some other Haliburton merchandiser.

It is quite awhile since we have had penny postage as proposed and implemented by our late Queen Victoria.

The difference between is what we have been calling inflation. Now a postal employee pays increasing taxes, spends more money on luxuries, travel, entertainment, clothing, and a host of other things they could not afford in the days of penny postage. That expansion of money, as it were, is what is called economics and we will continue to get more as time goes on probably without limit.

Tuesday morning June Devolin led us in the study of the Christmas story, the birth of Jesus at Bethlehem as described in the second chapter of the epistle of St. Luke. Imagine those shep-

herds experiencing that eerie stillness around them when suddenly they heard the angels giving them the glad tidings and instructing them to visit the baby wrapped in swaddling clothes, a curious practice in those days of binding a baby so tight they could scarcely move. Imagine also the mother experiencing giving birth to the first born, the joy of it especially if the baby was a male, another curious feeling that is quite prevalent today.

In the afternoon was bingo, Helen Archer and Betty Wise the volunteer helpers and Ray Smith the caller, while outside there was a high wind

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Percussionist is skillful: Guild

by Leopoldina Dobrzynski

Musical proficiency, dexterity, sensitivity and a marvellous rapport with the public - Marie Jose Simard has it all!

To watch this young French Canadian artist perform is sheer delight. She plays, not only with professional skill, but with a joy which is infectious.

"I learn my pieces by heart," says Simard, "so that I can communicate with the audience when I am playing." And communicate she does, with her instruments, in an almost caressing motion, with her accompanist and with a delighted public, which follows her every move with rapt attention.

For the second concert of the Guild's series, on Mon-

day, December 6, Simard chose a program of classical music with a sprinkling of pop and folk music, somewhat reminiscent of the Boston Pops, who just like Marie Jose, aim at bringing the classics closer to the general public.

The artist, who is accompanied by Louise Andree Barril on the piano, transcribes pieces from the classical repertoire for her instruments: the xylophone, vibraphone and marimba. To hear pieces by her favourite composers, Bach, Bartok and Prokofiev, played on these instruments, for which they were not originally intended, is almost like participating in a new creation. Here virtuosity and craftsmanship combine with great ingenuity and produce wonderful results.

Marie Jose Simard, the only female solo percussion-

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The artist's first album has just been released and can be ordered from Les Productions Percudisqu luc. C.P. 737, Succ. "A", Montreal, P.Q. H3C 2V2 for \$10.

Senior League

by Bert Harrison

We have an administrator who's name is Sidney Brown. His job is here at Hyland Crest but he lives down in the town. He tries to keep things running smooth, let nothing go amiss. This must be really hard to do in a large place like this. But with the help of Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Hamilton who play a vital role, they seem to keep everything under smooth control.

Rev. Burgess held the service in the chapel Sunday night. Harold Thompson read the lesson and led us in prayer. Rev. Burgess spoke on "Lord teach us how to pray". Mrs. Thompson played so nice for us and I was going to say lead the singing but I think Rev. Burgess did that. We enjoy these services.

Monday the ladies were working getting ready for

their Christmas concert. Monday night we watched three real interesting movies. Tuesday morning Rev. Wicks of the Minden Gospel Church held a real nice Christmas service here. He took his text from the Book of Isaiah. "Those who walk in darkness shall see a great light."

Our girls came to play and sing again.

Tuesday night is music night here at Hyland Crest. Payne, Deacon and Crowe came to give us their best. We surely like this fellow Crowe. He has got the real get up and go. They sang "We've been working on the railroad". Then for a change they switched and sang "Home on the Range". Thanks for coming to entertain us.

Wednesday night was our Christmas concert here at

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DISTRICT NEWS

Kinmount Korner

by Millie Moss

Greetings! Vi and Albert Crego of Kinmount visited with Albert's sister, Nancy Sellick in Bravenhurst recently.

Congratulations to Aileen and George Brown of Kinmount who became grandparents to a bouncing boy on December 8. The proud parents are Toni and Angus Brown.

A special Xmas meeting of the A.C.W. will be held December 16.

Tickets are now available on a used hockey stick and pucks, the stick being autographed by the Toronto Maple Leaf hockey team. This would be a prized possession

for a Leaf fan and tickets can be purchased from any A.C.W. member in Kinmount at the rate of 50 cents each or 3/\$1.00.

On December 1, 7 3/4 tables of euchre were played at St. James Hall with a Xmas like atmosphere. The results were: ladies' high: Irene McNamara, ladies' low: Joyce Hills, men's high: Mike Cain, men's low: Ambrose Watson, lone hands: David Anderson. There were 8 special prizes also won.

Sympathy to family and friends of Gord Robinson of Salmon Lake who passed away Thursday, December 10. Gord was the former

building inspector of Galway Township. Services were held in Toronto.

Winner of the Kinmount Legion 50/50 draw, Saturday, December 5 was Betty Bacon of Kinmount who picked up \$22.50.

Visitors in Norland and at our house December 6 were Amy, Stephen, Helen and Heather Coker of Uterston and Huntsville.

We didn't make it to the annual Santa Claus Parade in Coby this year but I hear it was the best one yet. Xmas stockings and presents were handed out to the many children afterwards at the Legion Hall where everyone

got the chance to say hi to Santa.

Happy birthday Wm. D. Moss, on Pearl Harbour Day, December 7.

The Wednesday Nighters Euchre Club enjoyed their game December 9 with the following results: men's high: Leon Wright, men's low: Doug Drinkle, ladies' high: Flo Drinkle, ladies' low: Pauline Franzen and most lone hands - Ida Young. There will be no further games until January 6 and members wish each other and all a very happy holiday season.

Cranberry Fruit Nut Bread:
2 cups all-purpose flour, 1 cup granulated sugar, 1 1/2 tsp. baking powder, 1 tsp. salt, 1/2 tsp. baking soda, 1/4 cup shortening, 1 tsp. grated orange peel, 3/4 cups orange juice, 1 egg, well beaten, 1 cup coarsely chopped cranberries (fresh), 1/2 cup chopped nuts. Sift flour with sugar, baking powder, salt and baking soda, cut in shortening until thoroughly blended. Mix peel with juice and egg and add to dry ingredients, mixing just enough to moisten. Fold in berries and nuts. Pour into greased 9x5x3 inch pan and bake in 350 degrees F oven 1 hour. Let cool overnight for easy slicing.

Happy birthday to Master Blair William John Crego of Kinmount, who will be celebrating his first year on December 21. Blair is the son of Dot and Joe Crego.

A wedding shower was held for Miss Lou Ann Barry of Minden on Wednesday evening, December 9 at St. James Hall in Kinmount. The hostesses were Bonnie Mullock of Woodville and Dorothy Crego, Kinmount. A stag party for the groom to be was

held Saturday, December 12. The marriage of Lou Ann and Luther Crego to take place December 19, 1981. Happiness is wished in the years to come.

Mary L. Pyke, Helen R. Graham, both of Norland, Bill and I, attended the funeral services in Sutton West, of Mary Lucretia Card, on Saturday morning, December 5.

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Wilberforce News by Winnie Schofield

To mark a very successful Centennial year for Monmouth Township a special dinner took place at the Lloyd Watson Memorial Centre on Saturday, December 12. Many people were in attendance and were loud in their praise of this special event.

MP Bill Scott, MPP John Eakins and Haliburton County Warden, Murray Farrey spoke to the people. Reeve

Keith Tallman congratulated the ladies of the UCW on their beautifully appointed tables, extra special roast beef dinner and tasty desserts. A draw was made for the Centennial Quilt and this was won by Ruth Marks of Tory Hill.

On Sunday a warm-hearted church service took place at the Memorial Centre when people gathered to join in an inter denominational service

which resulted in a very moving experience as people came together to rejoice and mingle with others from their various churches. Music was provided by the Centennial Choir with soloist Rita Bidgood of Peterborough. A children's group presented a musical number. Opening the service was the Rev. George Phillips of Havelock who had been resident minister in Wilberforce in the year 1970 for the United Church. Representatives from various church groups include those from Haliburton and Harcourt. Mrs. Sylvia Cameron received thanks for her part in organizing this excellent gathering and bringing people together to worship and give thanks for our many blessings.

We have lost one of our oldest residents with the passing of Arthur James Cooke who was in his 98th year. Mr. Cooke came to Monmouth from England in the early 1900's and settled in Essonville with the Saunders family. He later married Sophia Saunders. Mr. Cooke spent some of his time in the lumber camps where he gained fame as a capable cook. He was interested in local affairs and was Reeve of Monmouth Township from 1936 to 1940. He was very independent and resourceful

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Chatting with Irene

by Irene Moore

Remember the old saying "The show must go on"? That is the way I felt this morning when I crawled out of bed to get my column done. I've had this horrible flu that is going around all week-end and have aches and pains in parts of my body such as you couldn't believe. Sunday I spent all day in bed and the only thing I could keep down was water. So my advice is if you get the flu crawl into bed and drink water to settle your stomach. What made me so upset over it was I missed two parties. Oh well, one can't have everything can they? I'd sooner have had the parties though!

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Bryd-

son and family of Bracebridge visited with Mrs. Ethel Harrison on Sunday and helped her celebrate her birthday.

The homes are being filled with the delicious smells of the Christmas baking. The children are all getting excited and anxious to wrap gifts. Their fathers are being bugged to get the tree so the kids can decorate it. Next week after the children get out of school the parents will be going out of their minds trying to keep the children happy until the big day arrives. May all the children get what they wish from Santa.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Hughes and daughters of

Mississauga visited with relatives in the village on the week-end.

We enjoy our children more when we harbour a child like heart of our own.

The children certainly enjoyed the show, Lady and the Tramp last Saturday afternoon and Dixie Lee made their day with a free milk shake.

Carol and Beverly Emmer-son spent several days in Toronto this week.

Don't forget the free movies for the children at the Library Culture Centre this Saturday, December 19 from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

I had a chat with Cathy

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Coboconk News

by Shiela Lake

Tuesday was the last in the Seniors' euchre until after the new year. Winners in the game held in the Community Hall on Tuesday night were: ladies, Vina Neal, 70; Lulu Brentnell, 67; consolation: Madeline King, 46. Gents: Gertie Chrichton, 64; Hilda Chynoweth, 60. Consolation - Weldon Neal. Lone hands - Howard Stewart.

In the bridge games Peg Baker was first with a score of 5390.

Last Sunday's Santa Claus parade was a big success, as always. The parade was bigger then some of the nearer neighbouring towns and the weatherman was in our favour. To those who spent so much time and work making the parade a success, a vote of thanks. You are all to be congratulated.

It was a shock to all to learn of the sudden passing of Mr. Laurie Barkwell of Grandy Rd. last Sunday morning. Our sympathy to his daughter, Gwen and the other relatives.

Jack Pearce went by ambulance to Toronto this past week where he will receive treatment in hospital there.

Edith Johnson of Haliburton and yours truly journeyed to Huntsville on Tuesday to attend a team leaders dinner there. Mrs. A. Marles and Mrs. M. Limrick went along to do some shopping there. Saturday night, Mrs. R. Faulkner and I attended a company dinner at the Coach House Restaurant and had a most enjoyable evening.

Monday evening was the L.O.B.A. Coboconk's Christmas supper and exchange of gifts. The ladies met in the Orange Hall and had a delightful evening.

Mrs. Ed Hoag and daughter Theresa of Barrhead, Alberta spent a couple of days with Mrs. A. Marles last

week and visited other friends here as well. On Tuesday, Ruby Hoag and Theresa, Mrs. Marles, Mr. Charlie Brohm of Miners Bay, and Mrs. Ada Irwin of Lindsay all journeyed to Gooderham to cook up some Ostertag and Spencer relatives and visited Mrs. Billings there. They also visited Mrs. Rita Bailey in Fenelon Falls, and Mrs. Alma Hunt and Clayton in Fenelon Falls.

Have you booked your New Years party reservations yet? The local Legion and Community Hall always have a gala evening so why not look into what is offered now before all the tickets are gone. Of course, not everyone goes out on New Years - we stay home - but if you do you will likely have as much fun here at home as to drive to another larger centre.

And speaking of New Years and Christmas for that matter, we all like to save a little money. Save those tube rollers that hold wax paper, paper towels, toilet paper, etc. Cut in about 5" lengths, cover in pretty foil or Christmas paper, enclose little novelties (a pen, balloon, lip balm, life saver, etc.) and presto - a Christmas cracker! The New Horizons enjoyed a bus trip to Ottawa last week,

taking in the sites of our famous government.

With colder days ahead, when little folk cannot go out to play, why not make some inexpensive play dough? It's easy to make and all you need is: 1 1/2 cups of flour; 1/2 cup of salt; 1/2 cup of water; 1/2 cup of vegetable oil. Mix flour and salt together. Slowly add water and oil and knead dough well. This dough will keep in the refrigerator in a covered jar, but will harden if left in the air.

Our local merchants have decorated and displayed their wares to the best advantage. If you appreciate a certain display, how about a word of praise to the person(s) who did the work? Wouldn't main street be dull if the window dressing never changed?

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so well for us. Mrs. Cobourn read a couple of humorous poems for us besides singing and leading in the singing. Thank you both for coming.

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Eakins said he supports the Wintario funding program, since the money used is not raised by taxation, and added that he will urge the minister responsible to increase the support.

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Books about parenting are available and good

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plies child psychology in practical suggestions for children from infancy to pre-school with some discussion of theory. Special chapters on discipline and schooling. Marvelous section of suggested records, books, and toys for children and a list of "survival books" for parents, although Dodson forgets that some families are on limited budgets. Look also for How To Father by Fitzhugh Dodson, a subject too often neglected.

Ann Barker honoured

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serving both tea and cookies. Baking and cooking is also an integral part of Barker's volunteer work for the community, as she with the normal contingent of local women prepare goodies for the annual Christmas party, dances and other special get togethers usually planned at the Firefighters Community hall.

Barker, who is known in the township for always offering voluntary help whenever needed, represented the area on the Chamber of Commerce in 1981. She was also involved in raising money, from one of her dances, for the seniors van fund started by the Happy Gang at extendicare in Haliburton village.

After living in the township over seven years, Barker, her husband Don, and three children, David and Stephen, and Leeanna still at home, says the only way to become part of the community is to make the first move. New residents should be willing to be outgoing and attend the functions sponsored by local residents. She emphasizes they should not be apprehensive about offering to help organize local events. And they shouldn't keep their good ideas to themselves.

After being chairman of the Stanhope Fun Day for two years, Barker is ready to hand the reins of power over to another volunteer, but certainly she will be continuing to be involved in the volunteer forces working in the township.

"I think it's a great township," she says.



When what you want for Christmas is a secret between you and Santa, you have to whisper in his ear, as this youngster did at the Glamorgan Firefighters Christmas party at the community centre, Saturday.

Happy Gang News

from page 10

driving and drifting the falling snow that is expected to increase all through the night. We like the honey colored chips the best because they seem to be luckier.

The Happy Gang numbers 62 and probably resembles a flock of sheep as much as anything, all tending to help each other and all and each with his or her disability contrasting so much from a group of say, children. We do not tend to mischief but we all do like entertainment which is why any volunteer help to that end is so much appreciated. Of late we have been fortunate but it seems that no matter how many volunteers we have there is always room for another.

While we are writing about sheep we must point out the remarkable fleece they give us every year to be processed into wool fabric, probably the best of all smart clothes for warmth and appearance. The chief drawback is the shrinkage in washing, a fault that has been the butt of merriment ever since it has been used to clothe us. An average fleece will make a suit of clothes for the average man. Synthetic wool has made inroads because of its wearing quality and tensile strength. It is true that without the synthetics, producing all the wool needed would require all the food land in North America alone to feed the sheep needed, therefore what a price natural wool would bring.

Thursday afternoon baking was in order with the ladies - Ella Maughan, Maud Weston, Vera Griffin, Muriel Covert, Ada Denholm, Doreen Stevens, Hazel Parish and Della Stewart in the tutelage of Ivy Shaw and Kathy Cary made heaps and heaps of coconut fudge squares, brownies, sugar cookies, not for the cookie jar but to serve tomorrow to the dinner of the volunteer workers. It was the nicest display of goodies that we have seen.

We have learned with regret that Charles Plewman is no longer a resident, being a past president of the Happy Gang, who initiated this column that we hope has been carried on to the high standards he set. He will be missed.

It is reported to us that Bill Andrews has passed away. He was one of the pioneers of the Highland Grove region and leaves to mourn a quite large industrious family. In these later years he has been able to participate in much activity.

St. George's choir of the Anglican parish in Haliburton to our delight, came all the way to extendicare led by Bill Glidden, choir master and pianist, to sing in melody a sizable selection of Christmas carols. They gave a splendid performance with children's voices blending with the grownups to be really nice. Then the Ladies' auxiliary came with a lovely assortment of Christmas pastries that were delicious. To be

sure, the Happy Gang is grateful to St. George's Anglican Church at this festive season.

Friday morning devotional period was led by Rev. Trevor Denny pastor of St. George's Anglican Church, Margaret Sissons pianist. His theme in the words of Christ "Suffer the little children to come unto me for of such is the kingdom of Heaven". We enjoyed the company of Rev. Denny and Margaret Sissons in the after service snack of cookies and tea.

In the afternoon we had the party for the volunteer helpers for which the weeks baking was done (not for the cookie jar). Background piano music was provided by Jan Shipley. It was nice moving about among them without the little tensions of everyday routine.

Sunday afternoon we had a visit from Santa Claus assisted by the Full Gospel Business Mens' association of Haliburton, to give us an assortment of Christmas hymns and carols led by Larry Hunter, president and Vance English, Judy Hunter pianist. Among the audience were Stan Rukin, pastor of the Full Gospel Lighthouse, and Lieut Sydney Buell of the Haliburton corp of the Salvation Army. It was especially nice to get the little red stockings which Santa filled with goodies. You can see our Christmas program is really growing big and we enjoy it.

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WILBERFORCE

The Scoresheet

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Barry Boice on a power play
7:25 - Rob MacLeod scored from Scott Hamilton and Bull on a power play
3:33 - Scott Rae scored unassisted.
2:05 - Rob MacLeod scored from Bull and Edge
3rd period: 13:58 - Kelly Mitchell scored from Boice and Warburton
0:29 - Kelly Mitchell scored from Upton and Warburton.
Penalties - Haliburton 18 min. and Minden 10 min.
Final Score: Haliburton 8, Minden 6
JUVENILES: played in Manvers Wednesday, December 9, Minden vs Manvers
Scoring for Minden was Eldon Bull
Final Score: was Manvers 4, Minden 1
In Minden, Friday, December 11, Minden vs Bobcaygeon.
Scoring for Minden were Craig Coneybeare with two goals and Dave Lennie, Glen Evans and Kevin

Hamilton with one goal each.

Final Score: Minden 5, Bobcaygeon 3
UPCOMING GAMES
Thurs. Dec. 17 - 7:00 p.m. Haliburton PeeWees at Minden
- 8:00 p.m. - Haliburton Bantams at Minden
Friday, Dec. 18 - 8:00 p.m. - Cannington Juveniles at Minden
Sat. Dec. 19 - 4:00 p.m. - Woodville PeeWees at Minden
5:30 p.m. - Beaverton Bantams at Minden
7:00 p.m. - Little Britain Midgets at Minden.

ONTARIO GOVERNMENT NOTICE THE EXPROPRIATIONS ACT NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO EXPROPRIATE LAND

IN THE MATTER of an application by the Minister of Transportation and Communications for approval to expropriate lands being in the Township of Dysart, Bruton, Clyde, Dudley, Eyre, Guilford, Harburn, Harcourt and Havelock, in the Provisional County of Haliburton, in the Province of Ontario, for the purpose of diverting, widening and reconstructing Secondary Highway 519 with a right of way of irregular width, and works related thereto.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application has been made for approval to expropriate the land described in the schedule hereto.
Any owner of lands in respect of which notice is given who desires an inquiry into whether the taking of such land is fair, sound and reasonably necessary in the achievement of the objectives of the expropriating authority shall so notify the approving authority in writing.
(1) in the case of a registered owner, served personally or by registered mail within thirty days after he is served with the notice, or, when he is served by publication, within thirty days after the first publication of the notice.
(2) in the case of an owner who is not a registered owner, within thirty days after the first publication of the notice.
THE APPROVING AUTHORITY IS the Minister of Transportation and Communications.
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NOTES
1. The Expropriations Act provides that:
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(b) the inquiry officer:
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(ii) may recommend to the approving authority that a party to the inquiry be paid a fixed amount for his costs of the inquiry not to exceed \$200 and the approving authority may in its discretion order the expropriating authority to pay such costs forthwith.
2. Owner and registered owner, as defined in the Act as follows:
owner, includes a mortgagee, tenant, execution creditor, a person entitled to a limited estate or interest in land, a committee of the estate of a mentally incompetent person or a person incapable of managing his affairs, and a guardian, executor, administrator or trustee in whom land is vested;
registered owner, means an owner of land whose interest in the land is defined and whose name is specified in an instrument in the proper Land Registry or Sheriff's office, and includes a person shown as a tenant of land on the last revised assessment roll.
3. The expropriating authority, each owner who notifies the approving authority that he desires a hearing in respect of the lands intended to be expropriated and any owner added as a party by the inquiry officer are parties to the inquiry.

SCHEDULE

All right, title and interest in the lands described as follows:

In the Township of Dysart, Bruton, Clyde, Dudley, Eyre, Guilford, Harburn, Harcourt and Havelock, in the Provisional County of Haliburton, in the Province of Ontario, being:
(a) Parts of Lot 23, Concession 3, of the geographic Township of Guilford, designated as Parts 3, 4, and 5 on Ministry of Transportation and Communications' Plan P-7035-14 deposited in the Land Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton as Plan 19R-2336.
(b) Parts of Lot 25, Concession 3, of the geographic Township of Guilford, designated as Parts 1, 2, 3 and 7 on Ministry of Transportation and Communications' Plan P-7035-15 deposited in the Land Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton as Plan 19R-2448.

A print of Ministry of Transportation and Communications' Plans P-7035-14 and P-7035-15 may be obtained upon request from the Manager of Record Services Office, Ministry of Transportation and Communications, 1201 Wilson Avenue, Downsview, Ontario M3M 1J8.

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POSITION - Part time medical office nurse. (RN or RNA) to start January, 1982. Please send resume to Box 870, Haliburton. 18-B-23

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Royal Canadian Legion, Haliburton. **TURKEY BINGO**, Wednesday, December 16, 7:50 p.m. Next regular BINGO Wednesday, January 6, 7:50 p.m. \$500 jackpot. 53 numbers called. Early Bird, Share the Wealth, and two big Snowball games. Hundreds of dollars in other prizes. 23-CA-16

H.H.S.S.

Music Department presents A Christmas Concert. Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, Thursday, December 17, 8:00 p.m. Tickets \$1.00. Children under 12 free. 23-B-16

RAILS' END GALLERY

Coming Events

Saturday, Dec. 19 - Last day to shop for beautiful handmade gifts. Santa will visit again, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Batik draw takes place at 2 p.m. **Important Reminder** - Just 15 more days to "invest" in the Haliburton Highlands Guild of Fine Arts and make your tax deductible donation for 1981. For more info, call 705-457-2330. Gallery will be closed Dec. 22 to 29. Exhibitors please pick up work by 4 p.m. December 21. 23-CA-16

NEW YEARS DANCE

Dysart Community Centre in aid of St. Anthony's Building Fund. Music by D.J. Tickets \$15 per couple. Available from members or phone 457-2876. 23-B-16

AUCTIONS

ORVAL MCLEAN AUCTION CENTRE - Lindsay - closed for the season. Thanks to all for our excellent year. **MERRY CHRISTMAS** to ALL. Accepting large consignments, estates or businesses only. Call the office 324-0182 or barn, 324-2783. 24-CA-23

NOTICES

FRIENDS AND NEIGHBOURS

are invited to an AT HOME in honour of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Kay and Fred Broad at the apartment of their daughter Lesley Finlay, Finlay's General Store, Tory Hill on Sunday, December 20, 1981 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Best wishes only. 25-P-16

NOTICES

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THANK YOU

I would like to thank the nurses at Haliburton hospital and Dr. Good for the care they gave to Mr. Arthur Cooke, the ladies for the lovely lunch after the funeral, all the pallbearers, Mrs. Keith Cameron, and the Minister, Mr. Smith for their choice of hymns. For all the people who helped Mr. Cooke in the past years. Mr. Gordon A. Monk's Funeral Home for his kindness and help, for flowers, cards and everyone's kindness.

Thank you May God Bless you all, **Albert and Ethel Saunders** 27-P-16

I would like to say a sincere thank you to all my friends and relatives for the beautiful cards, money, and flowers and visits during my stay in Peterborough Civic Hospital. Also thank you to Dr. Hartwick, Dr. Belch, Dr. Fagan, nurses and staff for their kindness.

Ted Iles 27-P-16

We would like to thank family, relatives and friends for cards, phone calls, visitations, gifts and prayers when Elgin was in hospital and since coming home.

Thanks to family and relatives where I stayed and for taking me to the hospitals. Also to the Ambulance drivers from Minden, Haliburton and Lindsay.

Special thanks to Drs. Holliday-Rhodes, Baeta, Howes, Moore and Campbell and nursing staff on the fourth floor. **Elgin and Clara Sedgwick** 27-P-16

We wish to express our sincere thanks to relatives, friends, and neighbours for prayers, cards, phone calls, visits, gifts, baking, flowers and transportation. Special thanks to Dr. Hartwick, Dr. Pierce and nurses of Haliburton Hospital, ambulance attendants, Connie Wood, Wendell Wood, Chuck O'Neil, Dr. Martyn, Dr. Turner and nurses of Civic Hospital, Peterborough for their kindness and care given Montrose. **Montrose, Agnes Pearsell** 27-P-16

BIRTHS

UPTON - Will and Alberta (nee Nicholls) are proud to announce the safe arrival of their daughter, **KRISTIN JENNY ANN**, 8 lbs., 4 oz. Born December 8, 1981 at Scarborough General Hospital. A sister for Derrell and a granddaughter for George and Marjorie Nicholls of West Guilford and Stan and Julie Upton of Scarborough. 28-P-16

DEATH NOTICES

AT REST

At the Red Cross Hospital, Haliburton, on Friday, December 11, 1981

MARTHA ROSETTA ROBERTSON In her 85th year.

Beloved wife of Russell Robertson; dear mother of Ruby Mae (Mrs. Norman Graham) of Gelert, Donna Elizabeth (Mrs. Lester Hicks) of Ingoldsby, Doris Elaine Robertson of Gelert, Mary Linda (Mrs. Richard English) of Ingoldsby and Judith Rae-Anne Robertson of Toronto; loving grandmother of seven grandchildren; dear sister of Joseph and William Brohm and predeceased by Joan.

FUNERAL SERVICE

Rested at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, Minden, from 7:00 p.m. Saturday until 11:00 a.m. Monday, December 14, thence to Ingoldsby United Church for funeral service at 1:30 p.m. Interment at Ingoldsby Cemetery. 31-CA-16

IN MEMORIAM

FRANCIS - In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Edward Francis, who passed away December 11, 1968.

Time may heal the broken hearted, Years may make the wound less sore, But it cannot fill the longing For the loved one gone before.

Always remembered by wife Marjorie, John, Rhonda and family, May Basil and family. 32-B-16

WOOD, WALLACE - In loving memory of a dear husband who passed away December 18, 1962.

A million times I've needed you, A million times I've cried, If love could have saved you You never would have died. Things we feel most deeply Are the hardest things to say, My dearest joy I loved you In a very special way, If I could have one lifetime wish, One dream that could come true, I pray to God with all my heart For yesterday and you.

Sadly missed by wife Mildred and family. 32-P-16

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of NOBLE GARNET HAGUE, late of the Township of Minden, in the Provisional County of Haliburton, Retired Gentleman, Deceased. Creditors of the above named deceased who died on or about the 13th day of November, 1981, are hereby notified to forward to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the 23rd day of December, 1981, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have had notice.

DATED at Lindsay, Ontario, this 25th day of November, 1981.

FLETT & MORTLOCK, Barristers & Solicitors, Box 535, 74 Lindsay Street, South, LINDSAY, Ontario. K9V 4S5.

Solicitors for the Administratrix herein. 33-B-16

From the chamber

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better defined and allocated to some degree to one activity or the other.

During the present year the board will attempt to estimate the membership's support for either the Chamber as a whole or the Tourist and Convention Bureau and budget our time and resources accordingly. If when the membership fees are submitted they differ significantly from the forecast interim adjustments would be made in the implementation of the marketing plans. By the second year of this type of procedure the wishes of the membership should be even easier to forecast and adjust to.

Looking over the Chamber's present membership list it would appear the interest would lie very heavily towards tourism promotion and it is expected that the bulk of the membership revenue will be directed to that end. On the other hand many potential members have not participated in the past because of the priority given to tourist promotion and with this new approach it is hoped they will be anxious to support an organization dedicated to their concerns. If both divisions get the type of support in the future that they should it could, in time, mean that the administration would need to be expanded, but only because much more was being accomplished.

PETERBOROUGH TASK FORCE REPORTS

Almost a year ago the City of Peterborough and the County of Peterborough established a task force to study how best to promote the Tourist and Convention business in their region. About the same time the County of Victoria set up a committee to do likewise. The year of indecision while these task forces studied, probed, and made unofficial comments has taken a heavy toll. The manager of the Peterborough Chamber of Commerce resigned, followed by the manager of the Chamber operated Tourist and Convention Bureau. The Kawartha Tourist Association which already was operating with some difficulty was further weakened. The Chamber there is currently operating with one of its past-presidents acting as part time manager.

The Victoria Committee has yet to be heard from but the Peterborough Task Force released their findings and recommendations last week. Briefly what they have recommended is that a Peterborough and District (covering the County) Tourist and Convention Bureau be established to be jointly funded by the city and county with representation from each along with "appointments" from the private sector administering it. They suggest hiring a general manager plus a manager for each of the divisions. This organization will, it is

anticipated take the place of the Kawartha Tourist Assoc. and certainly diminish the role of the Peterborough Chamber in the tourism sector. The Kawartha Tourist Assoc. also represents Victoria County so what role may be left for them is open to much speculation.

It is unfortunate that because of the manner in which this concern has been approached there are some very worthwhile efforts that may suffer in a transition period. On the other hand it is significant that the municipal bodies there now recognize that tourism in their regions has not been addressed with enough unified force and an adequate budget. If the recommendations of this Task Force are put into effect our neighbours to the south will certainly be heard from...and we can't help but benefit from that if we are prepared to tap in on it.

Bill Smiley

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calls, but buys his clothes at second-hand shops. Recently gave us a beautiful book, and a week later applied (to us) for a \$300 loan, interest to be paid. He was "a little short." Only after the cheque was written and gone did we find out what for: to visit an old friend in a hospital in New Jersey. I wept a little, but not for long. I'm insured.

One thing about Hugh. He brings us interesting guests. The last one was a diviner, 84 years old, as spry as a cricket, and full of either super-sensitivity or you-know-what.

This octogenarian's name is Campbell. I never got his second name because he never stopped talking or divining. He'd brought his divining-rod with him, and went dowsing around the house. He discovered that

there were six streams flowing under our house, sending off radiation that was making my wife insomniac.

Immaculately dressed, he'd flop on the floor in his expensive gray flannel suit, assure us that you had to sleep with your head to the east, leap up, and do some more dowsing. Claimed he could find water, minerals (oil for all I know). Then he and Hugh went out and pounded stakes into the ground at strategic spots around the house, to destroy the radiation (I think).

Campbell was in both world wars, slogged it out on a prairie farm in the depression, worked in mining, and is all set to take off with Hugh for Paraguay, "just for the hell of it." He's a little deaf in one ear, a little blind in one eye, and just plain little,

about five feet six. But he's full of ginger and has more interest in life than the average 16 year old.

Then, of course, there's my wife. Time and again she has laid it on the line: "No more money to those kids. They've been bleeding us for years."

Then comes a woeeful phone call or a down-in-the-mouth letter, and all her resolution flies out the window. Or down the phone line. She thinks nothing of \$100 a month long-distance bills, when the "kids", 34 and 30, need help. Last week-end she phoned my daughter three times, told her she was coming to visit, to take her out to dinner, to take her to a super hairdresser, and to buy her a new wardrobe. Then she asked me if I could scratch up a grand.

And yet I hope she carries out her promises (threats?) It

would be worth a cool thousand, which I don't have, to get the old lady off my back for a week, buck up my daughter's morale, improve the grandboys' manners, and crash the daughter into a job as head of the CBC or something, which my wife is not incapable of doing when she gets rolling.

Just today comes a letter from a nephew in Costa Rica, telling me his mother's estate is still not settled, even after my intervention, and that he thinks he's being screwed by a Toronto lawyer, who refuses to answer the boy's letters.

So I have to dig into that one and do some bullying or threatening. My Uncle Ivan is still the patriarch of the family, at 90. They say I look just like him. I don't want to be the patriarch of the family.

John Eakins

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ment's policy of taxing non-profit day-care centres using vacant school space. On the other hand, David Peterson, Liberal MPP for London Centre, maintains that it is ridiculous for the province to exempt municipal day care centres from property tax and not non-profit day-care centres subsidized by the municipality. He said that municipal taxes for one day-care centre could cost as much as \$125 a child each year.

The minister says: "It is the responsibility of the assessment department...to assess all properties of that nature. The fact that they are in a school building is not relevant to the situation. When his Ministry doesn't tax such operations for their use of school property, the province gets no points from municipalities. He pointed out that the municipalities, not the province, benefit from such taxes. "I think we have to recognize that over the next number of years, there will be more and more school space which will be put to other uses," he added. "It is quite proper that we (tax) it." I would be pleased to have any comments from the public.

Editor's Notebook

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Gambell will get the nod from the rest of county council.

Gambell is interested in the community, and will probably do a good job. In that respect, there is nothing wrong with his appointment. But taxpayers should know that his appointment was a foregone conclusion because he was the only one who sought the job.

The job of warden is not always an easy one. It requires many extra hours a week on top of regular municipal business, and the pay is poor. Nonetheless there is cause for concern in the fact that there is a growing tendency to award it by default. Whoever wants it, gets it, and those who are not called on breathe a sigh of relief.

Taxpayers in Haliburton County can only hope that situation changes soon.

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Thurs., Dec. 10 - St. George's Choir at Extencare - 7:30 p.m. - Carol singing
Fri., Dec. 11 - St. George's Choir at Hyland Crest - 7:30 p.m. - Carol singing
Sun., Dec. 13 - St. Margaret's Wilberforce - 8:00 a.m. - Holy Communion
- St. George's Haliburton - 10:00 a.m. - White Gift Service
- St. Andrew's West Guilford - 2:00 p.m. - White Gift Service
- St. George's Haliburton - 6:45 p.m. Parish Candlelight Service (Multilingual)
Sun., Dec. 20 - St. George's Haliburton - 8:00 a.m. - B.A.C. Breakfast - Speaker: Pastor Stan Rukin of Full Gospel Lighthouse
- St. Margaret's Wilberforce - 8:00 a.m. - Holy Communion
- St. George's Haliburton - 10:00 a.m. - Children's Plays
- St. Margaret's Wilberforce - 10:00 a.m. - Holy Communion
- St. Andrew's West Guilford - 2:00 p.m. - Afternoon Prayer
Christmas Eve - St. George's Haliburton - 6:45 p.m. - Carol singing
- 7:30 - First Communion of Christmas
- St. Andrew's West Guilford - 10:45 p.m. - Carol singing
- 11:00 p.m. - 1st Communion of Christmas
Christmas Day - St. Margaret's Wilberforce - 10:30 a.m. - Christmas Day Eucharist
Sun., Dec. 27 - St. Margaret's Wilberforce - 8:00 a.m. - Holy Communion
- St. George's Haliburton - 10:00 a.m. - Family Service
- St. Margaret's Wilberforce - 10:00 a.m. - Family Service
- St. Andrew's West Guilford - 2:00 p.m. - Carol Service

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